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FRYE SCORES WILLIS

Thinks Dole's Government Divinely Inspired.

CLEVELAND'S PRAYER ANSWERED

The Uncertainty Existing in Hawaii Due to the Course of Willis.

WASHINGTON, February 28.—In the senate today Frye read the letter of President Cleveland to President Dole, ending with the words "May God have your excellency in his wise keeping."

"Mr. President," said he impressively, "I believe God heard that prayer of President Cleveland and answered it. The magnificent courage of that little band of white men which enabled them, confronted by the whole power of the United States represented in that harbor, enabled them to say firmly, with dignity, 'we will never surrender.' Such courage could only have been divinely inspired." Frye dwelt at some length on the state of uncertainty and apprehension existing in Hawaii owing to the course of Minister Willis in regard to his intention to use or not use force. Referring to Willis' speech, welcoming Hawaii into the family of nations, Frye said while he was uttering these words of friendship and good will he carried in his pocket instructions to destroy forever that government which he was so effusively welcoming. "Are you proud of that," he asked. "Think of it; directed by the President of 65,000,000 people, of a country probably the most powerful on this earth, his minister contriving, scheming and assiduously working night and day to restore the rotten monarchy."

HOUSE.

Bland secured a quorum today on the Seignorage bill, but the quorum was lost on the motion to adopt the special order and the house adjourned until tomorrow.

AWAITING A DECISION.

The Atchison Road Makes a Statement to the Association.

CHICAGO, February 28.—At today's meeting of the Western Passenger association Passenger Traffic Manager White of the Atchison made a long statement, reviewing the relations of his line with the Southern Pacific and reciting the causes leading up to the present troubles. He asked that the association lines according to agreement should stand by its members as against all others, and that eastern competing lines of the association should close all business with the Southern Pacific. The matter went over until tomorrow when Chairman Caldwell will give the matter a hearing. He may render a decision at once or take the case under advisement. If the decision is adverse to the Atchison it will probably withdraw from the Western Passenger association and make the fight from Chicago instead of the Missouri river.

Brazilian Election.

RIO DE JANEIRO, February 28.—For the moment interest in the warfare between the insurgents and government forces has almost disappeared and the people are concentrating attention upon the presidential election, which is to take place tomorrow. The election of Senior Moraes for President is nearly certain, as there is no organized opposition to him. Martial law ends at 12 o'clock tonight. The result of the election will be officially declared at the meeting of congress in May next. Members of congress will also be elected tomorrow. Everything is very quiet here today.

Declares It Is True.

LONDON, February 28.—The Edinburgh Evening News repeats emphatically that Gladstone has resigned and the premiership offered to Roseberry. In spite of the cold Gladstone drove in an open phaeton this afternoon to Buckingham palace, and was immediately admitted to the presence of the queen. The interview with the queen lasted half an hour, but nothing definite is known of its tenor. Among a host of rumors the general opinion is that Gladstone either resigned or will shortly do so. The Associated Press was subsequently assured by Gladstone's private secretary that the premier had not resigned and the situation was unchanged.

Found Guilty.

BALTIMORE, February 28.—Joseph Donjan, who sent a threatening postal card to Vice President Stevenson, was tried in the United States district court today on a charge of violating the postal laws. The jury, after a brief consideration, returned a verdict of guilty and Judge Morris sentenced Donjan to the penitentiary for eighteen months.

Judge McDill Dead.

CRESTON, Ia., February 28.—Judge J. W. McDill of the interstate commerce commission died this morning of typhoid fever, aged 60. He was prominent in state and national politics and had served as district judge, member of congress and United States senator, in addition to the office held at the time of his death.

Senatorial Caucus.

WASHINGTON, February 28.—The Democratic senators caucussed on the tariff bill. The only vote taken was on the proposition to put a tax on iron ore, which was lost by a majority of two. By general consent the caucus concluded to recommit the bill to the finance committee without instructions.

Old Resident Dead.

SONORA, Cal., February 28.—Thomas Parrott, age 75 years, an old resident of this and Calaveras counties, died yesterday. He had been running a ferry on the Stanislaus river for the past forty years.

The Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 28.—Wheat Strong; May, $1.05¾; December, $1.12½.

Barley—Firm; May 76½c; December 85⅝.

Corn—$1.

Strict Sunday Ordinance.

SAN BERNARDINO, February 28.—The city trustees last evening passed a sweeping ordinance, closing all classes of business on Sundays, and it is now a law. The only business houses allowed to keep open are hotels, restaurants, retail drug stores, stables, railroad and telegraph offices, undertakers, physicians, street car lines and railroads. The sale of milk or bread for immediate use, printing and distributing newspapers and business of retail drug stores, shall be considered only that of dealing in drugs, medicines and medical and surgical appliances.

Trial of Corbett and Mitchell.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., February 28.—A large crowd assembled this morning at the criminal court to witness the opening of the trial of Corbett and Mitchell and others connected with the recent prize fight. Corbett was the first to appear, and soon was followed by Mitchell. The trial of Corbett was first begun, and its result will decide the others. He is charged with engaging in a fight in accordance with a previous arrangement; then and there "beating, bruising, wounding and maltreating one Charles Mitchell." A plea of not guilty was entered and the selection of a jury begun. Up to recess five had been accepted, three whites and two negroes. The trial will probably last several days. An acquittal is expected.

Finally six men, the number being required by the Florida law in misdemeanor cases, was secured. Two of the jurors are negroes and four farmers of Duval county. After a short recess the examination of witnesses began. The state established the fact of a fight by "previous appointment," which is forbidden by Florida law, but did not fare so well when the attempt was made to establish malice. When the court adjourned in the afternoon the state still had several witnesses to examine. The impression left by today's developments is that a conviction is impossible.

The Colonna Party.

LOVELOCK, Nev., February 28.—Princess Colonna and party in a private car passed here at 5 o'clock this afternoon. She distributed money freely to a score of Indians at the train side.

Nearing the End.

LYNCHBURG, Va., February 28.—General Early's condition is practically unchanged since Saturday night. He is steadily weakening, and can last only a few days at best.

Admissions to the Fair.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 28.—The total admissions to the fair today was 7023.

NICARAGUA CANAL.

GEARY WANTS ITS AFFAIRS INVESTIGATED

And Introduces a Resolution Looking to Governmental Control.

WASHINGTON, February 28.—A resolution calling for a complete congressional investigation of the affairs of the Nicaragua Canal company, and looking to governmental control of the canal has been introduced in the house by representative Geary of California. Representative Geary said: "I believe the government should buy that canal, should own it and manage it. It is a needed link in our coastwise trade, it rests with this government to complete the work as it has power to, and there is no other to take hold of it. We should know how much money has been expended on the canal, what the plant is worth and how much will be required to complete it. The government should take the work off the company's hands, paying them fairly for what they have sunk and complete it. The plan of linking the government into partnership with the company to guarantee its bonds would be impracticable and might lead to complications. I consider the Frelinghuysen treaty with Nicaragua a good one, but perhaps it would be necessary to enter into a new treaty if this government is to control the canal. I do not fear that foreign capital will secure control of the project, nor am I prepared to say it would be an infringement of the Monroe doctrine if foreign influence should control. This being purely a matter of trade it would be good business policy, however, for the United States to push the canal to completion."

WILMERDING'S WILL.

Generous Bequests Made for the Benefit of the Public.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 28.—The will of the late J. C. Wilmerding, who for years was known as one of the leading wholesale liquor dealers of the Pacific coast, was filed for probate today. The estate is estimated to be worth $2,000,000. Provision is made for founding a school of industrial arts, in connection with the University of California, at a cost of $400,000. Specific legacies amount to $1,545,000. Among his two brothers and four sisters, all living in New York, is divided $675,000, to his nephew, Henry W. Payne of New York, is bequeathed $200,000. A large number of distant relatives are also generously remembered. The bequests to public institutions are as follows: Protestant Orphan asylum San Francisco, $10,000; St. Luke's hospital, $10,000; San Francisco hospital for children, $10,000; Golden Gate kindergarten, $10,000; Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, $5000. The most interesting bequest in a public sense is that of $400,000 to the regents of the University of California to establish and maintain a school to be called the Wilmerding School of Industrial Arts to teach boys trades, fitting them to make a living with their hands. The residue of the estate is bequeathed to Lucius R. Wilmerding and Henry W. Payne, share and share alike. Among the relatives to whom bequests are made are Mrs. Nancy Miller of Portland, Or., $20,000; to his cousin, Felix Tracy of Sacramento, $10,000.

Trouble With Strikers.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., February 28.—Governor McCorkle received a dispatch this afternoon from Eagle, a mining town about thirty miles east, saying there was trouble with strikers there and asking him to send troops. The governor sent his private secretary to report if the military are needed. Later dispatches from Eagle report a meeting of strikers this afternoon at which it was determined to force the working miners to come out. They went to Wyant's mines, about 300 strong with fifty guns. The working miners took refuge in a tipple, all well armed. The strikers when within 100 yards began firing. The men in the tipple replied with telling effect, killing one man and wounding several. A telegram tonight stated the firing lasted for two hours, but everything is now quiet. Further trouble is feared, and the governor ordered company K of the national guard of this city, and company G of Huntington, to march at once.

Committed Suicide.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 28.—P. H. Lynch, ex-state senator from Nevada county, committed suicide tonight by hanging.

AT TRINIDAD.

Ex-president Harrison Speaks of Silver.

ITS USE AS MONEY ADVOCATED

Foreign Nations Will Be Compelled to Join the United States for Bimetalism.

TRINIDAD, Col., February 28.—Ex-President Harrison was met at the depot by a committee headed by the mayor and fully 2000 people. After being serenaded by the band, Harrison was introduced to the crowd and delivered a speech. The ex-President expressed his gratification at the reception he received "as a private citizen whose occupation just now was that of a school teacher." After discussing the tariff issue Harrison said: "You had another interest out here which you asserted with a good deal of vehemence and determination, and that is the silver question. Now, I say to you today what I said when I was President and what I always believed, that larger use of silver for money and for the coinage of silver upon a basis to be agreed upon that should maintain its parity with gold is good for the whole world. I do not believe we could run free coinage ourselves while European governments are pursuing the policy they have with silver, but my fellow citizens, there are clear indications now in England and in Germany that they are feeling the effects of the scarcity of gold and its prostrating effects upon their industries. I believe these two great countries are nearer right today than they have been for the last twenty years. All are considering favorably the question of a larger and freer use of silver as a money metal and bimetallism has gained strength in England. I think these countries will come to the next silver conference with a greater readiness than in any recent years and will agree with us upon a basis for the larger use of silver as money. I would have been glad if this could have been accomplished while I was in Washington. I would rather have signalized my administration by that act than by any other I know of. [Cheers.] I thank you for listening to this speech I did not intend to make. Possibly I may be sorry for having made it. [Cries of "Never!"] I have spoken with frankness and that interest in public affairs I take now as a private citizen."

The Santa Fe Meets the Cut.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 28.—W. A. Bissell, general passenger agent of the Atlantic & Pacific road, today announced that the Santa Fe would meet the Southern Pacific's $20 rate from San Francisco to Missouri river points. The new rate goes into effect Sunday. The Pullman Sleeping Car Company today announced an increase of about 100 per cent in tourist car rates.

RAISIN DIRECTORS.

A Suggestion That They Be Elected by the Growers.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—"I have within the past two days heard raisin and fruit growers express their want of confidence in at least three of the eleven directors in terms sufficiently positive that while they are on the board these growers will not entrust their business with them nor subscribe for stock in the association," says your correspondent "Colony Lot" in Wednesday's REPUBLICAN.

The undersigned heard numerous expressions of the same import as those mentioned by "Colony Lot" upon the streets of Fresno as far back as last Saturday, especially by some growers of Selma, where the most objectionable director resides. Still others were mentioned as having for years not only patronized, but publicly advocated the cause of the commission men and the commission packers' side. Thinking that "half a loaf is better than no bread at all," I yet favored the plan as perhaps the best under present conditions and control—that is, if it is impossible to get and agree upon a better plan, or rather better directors to start the ball a-rolling. By all means let us hang together in some shape, and we can improve the organization as we move forward.

I would suggest that every grower subscribe for stock with the understanding that the share holders—after all growers or nearly all have subscribed—call a mass meeting of the owners of stock and let them elect their eleven directors; thus no one will have any just complaint and say that the thing was a "cut and dried" affair. So, fellow growers, you see that we may remedy the imperfections in the plan as we go along. You know, also, that we will have to vote upon the constitution and by-laws, and we may attend to the heard of control business at the same time.

M. J. LINDROSE.

THE HEATH CASE.

The Second Trial to Commence Next Monday.

The second trial of Richard S. Heath on the indictment for the murder of L. B. McWhirter, is set for next Monday in department 3 of the superior court.

It is stated that Grove L. Johnson will be the leading counsel for the prosecution at this trial. The array of counsel for the defense has not been publicly announced.

Judge Webb has arranged to have Judge Lucien Shaw of Los Angeles preside in his department during the trial of this case, while Judge Webb will take Judge Shaw's place at Los Angeles.

Dancing School.

Mrs. Souther's children's dancing class Thursday and Saturday afternoons. Monday evening next the Highland schottische will be taught. Lessons, gents, 75c.; ladies, 50c. Social every Saturday evening. *

School Books at C. H. Riege's.

Complete stock of everything needed in a school room. 1809 Mariposa st.*

JEFFERSONIAN DEMOCRACY

The Inconsistency of Its Advocates Caustically Set Forth.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—Fresno county is teeming with Democrats who profess to be of the true Jeffersonian stamp, and yet we hear them lift up their voices and denounce the "robber tariff" and the entire system of protection under which this country has prospered for more than thirty years past. The Democrat who proclaims himself a true believer in the doctrines advocated by Thomas Jefferson, and then stands around upon the street corners and howls about the iniquities of a tariff which produces a surplus in the public treasury, advertises himself a blatant ass, and invites the contempt of his fellow men. In his sixth annual message President Jefferson, speaking directly upon the subject of surplus revenue and tariff duties, wrote and published the following to the world:

"The question now comes forward, to what other objects shall these surpluses (surplus revenue) be appropriated, and the whole surplus of imports, after the entire discharge of the public debt? Shall we suppress the impost and give that advantage to foreign over domestic manufactures? Patriotism would certainly prefer its continuance and application to the great purposes of public education, roads, canals and such other objects of public improvement as it may be thought proper to add to the constitutional enumeration of federal powers."

The foregoing is a correct interpretation of the Republican principles of today, and were Thomas Jefferson on earth now, and possessed of all the mental powers that were his while President of this great country, is there the shadow of a doubt that he would be classed among such stalwart Republicans as William McKinley, Thomas B. Reed, Benjamin Harrison, George F. Hoar, Eugene Hale, John J. Ingalls, Robert T. Lincoln and Donald Cameron?

And what can we say of the present, as compared with the previous condition of the Democratic party? A croaking crow as to a shrieking eagle—a whimpering puppy to a trumpeting bull elephant—a steaming dung hill to the great Chicago fire—the rabble in front of the pie counter to the first congress in Continental hall—Grover Cleveland to Thomas Jefferson! PROGRESS.

VERY SLOW WORK

IS THAT OF REGISTERING THE CHINESE.

Fresno the Second Largest District In the State—More Clerks Needed.

It looks very much as if Deputy Internal Revenue Collector Al Griffin will not be able to register all the Chinese in this district by May 3d unless he is given more deputies to assist him in the work.

He now has six deputies attending to the work of registration, and hard as they work the progress made is slow. There is a good deal of work connected with the registration of the Chinese and the applicants come forward much quicker than they can be accommodated. As Collector Griffin expresses it, "they almost fall over one another in scrambling for certificates."

Fresno, after San Francisco, has the largest number of Chinese of any district in the state. There are between 8000 and 9000 to register in this division and about 1300 of these have been provided with certificates up to date. About 1000 of this number registered in this city. It is estimated that there are 4000 Chinese in this county.

In San Francisco there is the same condition of affairs. At first Collector Welburn was authorized to employ only twenty-seven clerks to register the 35,000 coolies in that district. This number was found insufficient, and it was increased until sixty-two clerks are now engaged in the work. Collector Welburn believes he will be able to register all the Chinese in the San Francisco district by May 3d.

Deputy Collector Griffin says he is confident that when the work of registration is finished the result will show that there are 25 per cent more Chinese in the state than has been supposed. So far no Chinamen have come before him to register who were not entitled to certificates, though he has refused several witnesses whose character he was not willing to regard as satisfactory.

In one instance Mr. Griffin registered thirteen members of one firm. He was somewhat surprised at this extensive partnership, but on investigation found there was no fraud, as the affair was a co-operative concern.

A FRUITLESS RAID.

Chinese Gamblers Outwit Officers Who Come to Arrest Them.

Tuesday night shortly after 8 o'clock several officers made a raid on a Chinese gambling den next to the Chinese theater. It is said the attack was planned with great secrecy, but there must have been a leak somewhere, for the officers no sooner appeared in front of the establishment than the Chinaman doing guard duty shut the iron door, which someone fastened from the inside.

Being refused admittance one of the officers secured an axe and broke the lock and fastenings. This took a quarter of an hour or more and when the officers entered the den they found no vestige of a fan tan layout. What Chinamen had been there had made their escape through a trap door in the ceiling.

The Chinaman who shut the door on the officers was arrested and charged with the offense of resisting an officer. He gave his name as Low Lung and was put under $250 bonds, which he furnished.

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WANTED—HELP

WANTED—AT ONCE, A WOMAN COOK AT the Lytton. None but first-class need apply. m13*

WANTED—APPRENTICES—YOUNG LAdies to learn the millinery business. Apply at KUTNER-GOLDSTEIN CO.'S I-St. Stores. m1tf

WANTED—HELP FURNISHED OF ALL kinds at Eureka Employment Bureau, 1048 I street; Tel. 131. LEVY & LANGLEY. o15tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS

WANTED—A SITUATION BY A FIRST-class cook and baker. Address BAKER, this office. fe2718*

WANTED—WORK OF ANY KIND, BY A man with four good horses; will work cheap. Address box 253, Fresno P. O. fe2055*

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—TO BUY CHEAP FOR CASH, A two-horse portable engine and boiler. State condition, size of pulleys, etc., to ENGINE, this office. fe24t3

WANTED FOR PURCHASER—COTTAGE, hard finished, of 5 or 6 rooms, located within 5 or 6 blocks of business portion of the city. Address F. M. CHITTENDEN, 1152 J st. fe2216*

WANTED—FURNISHED HOUSE OF 4 OR 5 rooms with use of barn. Address N. B., P. O. box 1631, Fresno. m6tf

TO EXCHANGE JOB PRINTING IN QUANtities to suit and styles to please for gold or silver coin; quality of work the best and prices the lowest, at the office of The Republican. a29

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC

FOR RENT—TO SMALL FAMILY, 5 ROOMS with use of barn; modern improvements. Enquire at this office. fe2816*

FOR RENT—NICE FURNISHED ROOMS, housekeeping or lodging, very cheap. 851 I st., near Kern. fe2813*

FOR RENT—COTTAGE 5 ROOMS; PLENTY of shade; 2 blocks from court house. Enquire at 1007 N. st. fe2710*

FOR RENT—TWO LARGE, NICELY FURnished rooms for housekeeping, with closets and bath. 2227 Merced st. j30tf

FOR RENT—TWO FURNISHED FRONT rooms with gas and bath; also stable room. 1617 M street. f2516*

FOR RENT—THE STORE AND OFFICE now occupied by the Republican. This paper will remove to larger quarters and will occupy the new building now being erected on J st. next to and south of the Postoffice. Parties desiring to rent the store on Tulare st. apply to A. S. EDGERLY, Edgerly block. fe7

FOR RENT—TWO UNFURNISHED ROOMS for light housekeeping. Edgerly block, over postoffice. f1tf

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE WITH bath, hot and cold water and gas, on J street. Apply to ALEXANDER & GOODMAN, corner and Mariposa streets. j27tf

FOR RENT—FURNISHED FRONT ROOM; to desirable party cheap. 120 Park av. j21tf

FOR RENT—NICE PLEASANT SUNNY front rooms with or without board can be had at the Pleasant View house, opposite the postoffice. d27tf

FOR RENT—4-ROOM, HARD FINISHED house in addition near city; for rent cheap to reliable tenant. Apply to J. W. SHORT, this office. d2tf

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—SEEDLESS SULTANA ROOTings cheap, half mile east Belmont school. ALEX MARTIN. m1t12*

FOR SALE—BALED ALFALFA HAY, AT G. C. HOWELL'S, Woodward's Add., close to junction of S. P. and Porterville R. R. fe2716*

FOR SALE—FRESH MILCH COWS; ALSO pigs; one-half mile east of Belmont school, ALEX MARTIN, box 1087. fe8m1

FOR SALE—THOMPSON'S SEEDLESS ROOTS for sale, or will exchange for a good second-hand buggy or spring wagon. F. J. ZIMMERMAN, Cedar ave. fe22t12*

FOR SALE—50 TONS NO. 1 OAT HAY. J. W. REESE. fe22tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—A PHOTOGRAPHER'S Camera, new and complete, with book of instructions. Address R. O. ROBINSON, this office. f1s16*

FOR SALE—320 ACRES OF CHOICE ORange, fruit and alfalfa land; 2 houses; large barn; 3 water ditches through the tract; 50 acres under board and wire fence; 2 miles north of Sanger. Price $20 per acre, terms to suit. J. G. ANDERSON, 1818 Tulare street. f18tf

FOR SALE—LAND, COLONY LOTS AND town lots on long time. Twenty acres improved for $1100, five years' time at 8 per cent. Lot 176, Central California Colony, to lease for alfalfa; will furnish seed. H. B. CHOICE, 1146 J street. f3m1

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE AND FIXtures of a hotel in Madera, doing a fine business; large dining room and bar room. For particulars address Box 1314, Madera. j27tf

LOST

LOST—A LADY'S PURSE, CONTAINING gold, silver and postage stamps. Finder please return to 1905 I st. and receive reward. m1t2*

LOST—A LADY'S GOLD ELGIN WATCH and chain. Finder please leave at Republican office and receive reward. fe2713*

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TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—CAME TO MY PLACE, LAST spring, a dark red cow, with white left flank and swallow fork and over bit in left ear, indistinct brand; had calf with her. Owner call on M. A. BLADE, Letcher, and prove property. fe2813

TAKEN UP—A BLACK COLT, WHITE STAR on forehead. J. JORGENSON, Easton. fe2816*

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

Masonic Meetings
MASONIC TEMPLE, CORNER TULARE AND I STREETS

FRESNO LODGE, NO. 247, F. & A. M. Stated meetings on Friday on or before the full of the moon.
GEO. H. MONROE, W.M.
C. C. ELLIOTT, Secretary.

Odd Fellows

FRESNO LODGE NO. 186, I.O.O.F. meets Monday evenings at 7.30 in I.O.O.F. Hall, north I st., opposite Pleasanton hotel. All Odd Fellows are cordially invited to attend.
I. TEILMAN, N.G.
E. M. BISHOP, Secretary.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA LODGE NO. 343, I. O.O.F., meets every Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock in I.O.O.F. Hall, north I street, opposite the Pleasanton hotel. A cordial invitation is extended to all sojourning brothers.
J. F. HAMILTON, N.G.
M. A. MORGAN, Secretary.

FRESNO REBEKAH DEGREE LODGE NO 168, I.O.O.F., meets the first and third Saturday evenings of each month at 7.30 o'clock in Odd Fellows hall, Spinney building, opposite Pleasanton hotel. All visiting Rebekahs cordially invited. MISS BELLE MCNAB, N.G.
MISS ANNIE E NORLOCK Secretary.

A. O. U. W.

YOSEMITE LODGE No. 171, A. O. U. W.—Meets every Tuesday evening in new Spinney building, corner I and Merced streets. A cordial invitation is extended to all members of the order. J. W. RODDICK, M. W.
J. M. COLLINS Recorder.

Knights of Pythias.

FRESNO LODGE, NO. 138, K.P., MEETS Friday evening of each week at Castle hall, Spinney building, I street.
J. T. EAGLIN, C. C.
W. W. RUBLE, K. R. S. } Box 301.
O. P. KIELDSEN, M. F. }

K. of P. Meetings.

VINELAND LODGE, NO. 67, K. OF P.—Meets every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock in their castle hall, Odd Fellows' Hall, Spinney block, I street, opposite Pleasanton Hotel, Fresno. GEO. A. GRAHAM, C. C.
T. A. BELL, K. of R. and S.
H. BISHOP, M. F.

Foresters

COURT YOSEMITE No. 8128, ANCIENT ORder of Foresters of America — Meet every Monday evening in Edgerly hall, Tulare street, at 8.30. Sojourning Brothers cordially invited. By order of BRUCE D GOODRICH, C. R.
C. T. SIERRA, Rec. Sec.

Grand Army

ATLANTA POST G.A.R., MEETS THE FIRST and third Thursday of each month at Edgerly hall, corner J and Tulare streets. All members in good standing are invited.
P. C. RUSSELL, P. C.

HOUSE FINISH AND GENERAL MILL WORK.

BARLEY BOUGHT, ROLLED AND SOLD
732 to 760 H Street, Fresno, Cal.

Assessment Notice.

San Joaquin Valley Coal Mining Co., 1726 Mariposa street, Fresno Cal.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Directors held on the 9th day of January, 1894, an assessment of six dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately to the treasurer, the Bank of Central California, at its office, 1726 Mariposa street, Fresno.

Any stock on which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 3d day of March, 1894, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on the 21st of March, 1894, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expenses of sale.

13td E. KAUNTZE, Secretary.

DON'T BE DECEIVED!

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Delinquent Sale Notice.

Oakland Fruit and Vineyard Company of Fresno County, Cala. Location of principal place of business, Oakland, California. Location of Works, Fresno, Cala.

NOTICE—THERE ARE DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock on account of assessment No. 8, levied on the 19th day of December, 1893, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAME	NO. CERT.	NO. SHARES	AMT
M. J. Layzmance	5	100	$900 00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 19th day of December, 1893, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, No. 466 9th street, Oakland, California, on Tuesday, the 20th day of February, 1894, at the hour of 12 o'clock m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

CHAS. K. CLARK, Secretary,
Office, 466 9th Street, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF POSTPONEMENT.

The date for sale of delinquent stock is postponed to Tuesday, March 20, 1894, at 12 o'clock m.

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Constable's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Justice's Court of Third Township, County of Fresno State of California, dated the 19th day of January, 1894, in a certain action wherein Kutner Goldstein Co., as plaintiff, recovered judgment against W. M. Storey, on the 14th day of May, 1893, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit;— Lot 47, being the west half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 17 in Township fourteen (14) south, range twenty (20) east, M. D. B. and M., situated in Fresno colony; also three (3) fractional lots, being the west ends of Lots 1, 2 and 3, in Block 115, of the City of Fresno, said fractional lots making seventy-five (75) feet on the alley, and twenty-five (25) feet on Fresno street, of the City of Fresno. Place of sale, corner Mariposa and K streets. Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 8th day of March, 1894, at 2 o'clock p. m., of that day, in the City and County of Fresno, I will sell all the right, title and interest of said W. M. Storey in and to the above described property, at public auction, for cash to the highest and best bidder, to satisfy said execution and all costs.

GEORGE MATHESON, Constable.

Dated at Fresno, the 8th day of February, 1894
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Assessment Notice.

The Monarch Vineyard Company.—Location of principal place of business, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the first day of February, 1894 an assessment of ten dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the secretary of the company, J. O. Jephson, at his office, 739 Market street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 3d day of March, 1894, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 24th day of March, 1894, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

J. O. JEPHSON, Secretary.

Office of Secretary, 739 Market street, San Francisco, California. fe9t4t

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Two of the ablest railroad men in the state, W. H. Mills and Colonel Irish, will debate the tariff question at San Jose Monday night. Like that larger war among railroad people, it will be a good thing.

MR. STERN, a New York millionaire with an appropriate name, has completed a stable in that city costing $125,000 and arranged to accommodate fifteen horses. He should have one stall fitted up for an ass and occupy it himself.

IF the railroad rate war continues, people of moderate means will be induced to come to California and see for themselves the inducements we have to offer home seekers. That is what the state wants. Proceed with your war, gentlemen. Even the railroads will be benefited by it in the long run.

WE believe there is not a raisin grower in the San Joaquin valley who does not realize the necessity of perfecting the organization inaugurated at last Saturday's meeting, and this being the case trivial or merely personal objections must be laid aside. The first and paramount duty of the executive committee is to remove every real objection, and the growers must then do their part with a promptness and enthusiasm that will insure success.

LIEUTENANT YOUNG, an officer of the American warship Boston, who was present when Queen Liliuokalani prorogued the Kanaka legislature, says in his testimony before the investigating committee that Queen Lil was very drunk on that occasion. This being true, and it probably is, it accounts for a good many things. A Queen of cannibal extraction who was suffering from the effects of a prolonged drunk, would naturally feel like chopping the heads off her enemies if she had the opportunity. Grover and Willis might now consistently enter the plea of dipsomania on behalf of their client.

A FIRE insurance company in Missouri has appealed from the decision of a case in which it was the defendant on the ground that the jury was influenced in its decision by the smiles of the plaintiffs, who were a couple of charming ladies. Had the plaintiffs been grim-visaged old maids, and had glared at the jury like cats at an unfriendly dog, the defendant would evidently have appealed on the ground that the jury had been intimidated. Possibly it is different elsewhere, but people in California will be inclined to think the millenium has arrived when insurance companies pay honest losses without litigation, or fail to appeal when a verdict has been found against them.

THE delay in getting the Fresno exhibit in place at the Midwinter Fair is a misfortune, and a serious disappointment to the people of the county who labored so faithfully to secure a creditable showing of our varied products, but the delay is wholly due to the failure of the managers of the fair to get the roof of the horticultural building repaired promptly after its collapse directly over the space secured by this county. Since the roof has been made secure, work for the reception of our exhibit has been pushed as rapidly as possible, and is now nearly completed. In view of the valuable time which has been lost it will be expected of course that a proper rebate will be made in the amount charged for space, of which the county has been deprived by no fault of its own.

YESTERDAY'S Examiner makes the following sensible comments on the raisin growers' organization in process of formation in this valley: "The raisin growers are taking the sensible course in following out the plans heretofore discussed for union and co-operation. The convention in session at Fresno is evidently in earnest in entering into the new scheme for marketing the product, and it has the best wishes of the people for its success. The raisin growers should have the hearty backing of all other branches of the fruit growing industry, and in return should work heartily with their fellow producers. The raisin growers are a little tighter in the grip of the middlemen than the others, but they will all be in the same fix if the way out of their difficulties is not soon found. A short cut from producer to consumer must be had if the fruit growers are to prosper, and if the short cut is found for one branch it will show the way for all. The growers have but to find the way to supply the eastern consumer at a reasonable price to enlarge their market immensely and get a fair return for themselves. They can do this if they stand together and show the ordinary judgment of business men."

IT is hardly necessary to adduce further arguments to show that Cleveland is nothing more than an inordinately conceited politician. Only those who still linger longingly at the pie counter pretend to believe he is a statesman. Analyze the acts of Cleveland and it will be found that they were prompted by selfish motives—either he wished to humiliate an enemy, or to bolster up some pernicious policy he had decided to force upon the country. The public weal apparently never entered into the man's consideration. The report that he had an ulterior motive in appointing Senator White of Louisiana to the vacancy on the supreme bench will surprise no one. White has been foremost in looking after the sugar men of his state, and as the President is in favor of free sugar he saw and grasped the opportunity of removing a most powerful obstruction to his policy, and at the same time striking a blow at his old enemy Senator Hill, by leaving New York without representation on the supreme bench. It appears that Senator White is aware of the reasons that prompted Cleveland to appoint him, and it is stated that he will not resign his seat in the senate until that body has acted upon the tariff bill. Of course this is not at all what Cleveland counted upon, and it is asserted he threatens to withhold White's commission and nominate some other person, unless the Louisiana senator resigns and qualifies to take his seat on the supreme bench at its meeting next Monday, thus exposing the ulterior motive that prompted the appointment.

THE majority report of the senate committee on foreign relations concerning its investigation into the Hawaiian matter is a compromise affair. The Republican members of the committee concurred in the report because they could do no better. They secured the indorsement of ex-Minister Stevens' course which, in view of the well known subserviency of the Democratic majority to Czar Cleveland, is a remarkable concession. The inconsistency of the report in also indorsing Cleveland's attitude is of course glaring. Both Cleveland and Stevens could not have been right, for the policy of infamy of the former was distinctively un-American, while the course of Stevens was, as the report admits, impartial and patriotic. While it was the intention to make the report one which should place all persons connected with the Hawaiian incident in the best light, it is only necessary to read it carefully to discover that the excuses made for Cleveland have a ring of insincerity. Though Cleveland's servants in both houses of congress may try to palliate his high-handed course, every fact in connection with the Hawaiian revolution is known to the people of this country and they cannot be deceived as to the unwarranted action of the administration in attempting to retore a bloodthirsty strumpet to power. Knowing these facts, the following stirring words in the report will be construed by them as a crushing rebuke to the American dictator:

"When a crown falls in any kingdom of the western hemisphere it is pulverized, and when the scepter departs it departs forever. American opinion cannot sustain any American ruler in the attempt to restore them, no matter how virtuous and sincere the reasons may be that seem to justify him."

He Listened to Colonel Irish.

From the Stockton Mail.

The Western Watchman, published at Eureka, Humboldt county, regards the editor of the Colusa Sun as disqualified to discuss the money question, and censures him severely for trying. Yes, but maybe the poor man is doing the best he can. We remember that he attended the Ogden convention something less than a year ago as one of the delegates from this state. The other delegate was John P. Irish. The Sun editor did not participate in the monetary discussion, but Mr. Irish did at some length. The Sun man was there to listen. After paying careful attention to all that was said, especially to the eloquent utterances of his friend and colleague, he wrote in his paper, on his return, that he didn't know anything about the money question, and, what was more, that he didn't know anybody who did. It was rather severe on Mr. Irish, but the Sun man couldn't help that.

DIED.

RICE—In Watts valley, this county, February 28, 1894, John Westly Rice, aged 8 years, 10 months and 1 day.

Funeral this afternoon in Watts valley.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

Abbie B. Shackleton, s½ of ne¼ of sec 36, twp 14s, r 20 e; $10.

A. B. Ward et ux to George W. Bond, lots 7 and 8, blk B, Elm Grove add to Fresno; $10.

United States to Mortimer D. Pierce, lots 5 and 6 of sec 30, twp 19 s, r 17 e.

J. C. Cooper et ux to Ellen H. Knowlton, lots 28 and 29, blk 112, Fresno; $10.

Charles S. Stanton et ux to C. Bachtold, lots 3 to 7, inclusive, blk 2, East Selma; $10.

Mortimer D. Pierce to Mrs. M. M. G. Harding, lot 5, sec 30, twp 19 s, r 17 e; $100.

F. S. Moore to Sarah M. McDonald, lot 25, blk 195, Parkhurst add to Fresno.

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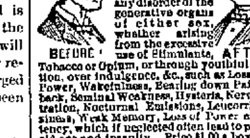

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Delinquent Sale.

La Pasa Rica Vineyard Company. Location of principal place of business, Fresno county, State of California.

NOTICE—THERE IS DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock on account of assessment levied on the 26th day of December, A.D. 1893, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

NAMES	NO. CERT.	NO. SH'RS	AMT
F. Yaple	28	5	$100
Nell Yaple	27	5	100
Leona Carrick	24	3	60
G. W. Dearborn	21	5	100

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors, made on the 26th day of December, A.D. 1893, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at the office of the company, No. 242 Montgomery street, San Francisco, State of California, on the 14th day of February, A.D., 1894, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of such day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. W. F. FORSEY, Secretary of La Pasa Rica Vineyard Company, Fresno, Cal. jad

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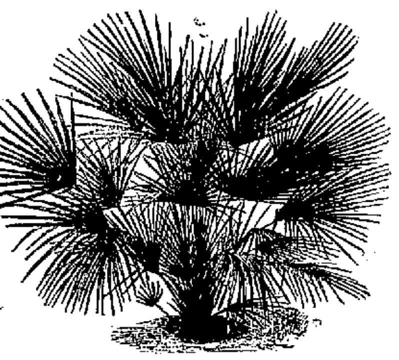

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate Under Execution.

No. 5453.

Thomas Williams vs. James Karnes.

BY VIRTUE OF AN EXECUTION ISSUED out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno of the State of California, wherein Thomas Williams, plaintiff, and James Karnes, defendant, upon a judgment rendered the 12th day of February, A. D. 1894, for the sum of $953.93, lawful money, besides costs and interest, I have this day levied upon all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, James Karnes, of, in and to the following described real estate, to-wit:

Lots 29, 30, 31 and 32 in block 96 of the City of Fresno, in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Public notice is hereby given that I will, on Tuesday, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1894, at 2 o'clock p.m. of said day, in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno, sell at public auction, for lawful money, all the right, title, claim and interest of said defendant, James Karnes, of, in and to the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient to satisfy said judgment, with interests and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.

By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.

Dated, Fresno, February 17, 1894.

Mr. Edgar S. Van Meter, Attorney for Plaintiff. fe17td

Notice of Sale of Real Estate at Public Auction.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, made on the 27th day of June, 1891, in the matter of the estate of Pamelia Ann Ridenour, deceased, the undersigned, administrator of the said estate, will sell at public auction, to the highest and best bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States, and subject to the confirmation of and by the said Superior Court, on Monday, the 19th day of March, 1894, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the court house, in the County of Fresno, State of California, all the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired, other than or in addition to that of the said Pamelia Ann Ridenour, at the time of her death, in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the said City and County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit.:

Lots numbered 25 and 26, in block numbered 273, of the City of Fresno, according to the map or plat of said city (formerly town), as the same appears of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Fresno County.

Terms and conditions of sale—Cash, gold coin of the United States, ten (10) per cent of the purchase money to be paid to the auctioneer on day of sale, the balance on confirmation of sale by said Superior Court. Deed at the expense of purchaser. FRANK H. SHORT, Executor of the last will and testament of the estate of Pamelia Ann Ridenour, deceased.

Dated, Fresno, Cal., February 20, 1894.

A. M. Drew, Attorney for Executor. fe21td

Notice of Dissolution of Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING under the name of "Long Brothers & Co.," and composed of H. D. Long, J. H. Long and H. J. Eaton, is hereby dissolved by the express will of the partners. H. J. Eaton is to continue in and conduct the general nursery business, for which said partnership was formed. Said H. J. Eaton is to assume all the debts and liabilities of said partnership and collect and receive all moneys due and owing said partnership.

Dated, Fresno, Calif., January 19th, 1894.

H. D. LONG,
J. H. LONG,
H. J. EATON.

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Trustee's Sale.

IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS AND under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by RICHARD T. OWEN, party of the first part, to HENRY C. CAMPBELL and THADDEUS B. KENT, Trustees, parties of second part, and the SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, party of the third part, dated November 9, 1889, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Fresno, State of California, in Liber 105 of Deeds, at pages 53 and following; and in pursuance of a resolution passed on the 11th day of January, 1894, by the Board of Directors of said SAN FRANCISCO SAVINGS UNION, a corporation, and the holder of the note [No. 8690], to secure payment of which the aforesaid Deed of Trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the principal sum and other sums, due under said note and Deed of Trust, and requesting and directing said HENRY C. CAMPBELL and THADDEUS B. KENT, Trustees, to sell the real estate described therein to satisfy said indebtedness.

We, Henry C. CAMPBELL and THADDEUS B. KENT, Trustees, do hereby give notice that on Tuesday, the 6th day of March, A. D. 1894, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, and at the auction salesroom of EASTON, ELDRIDGE & CO., No. 638 Market street, in the City and County of San Francisco, State of California, we will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, all the pieces or parcels of land situate in the County of Fresno, State of California, described as follows, to-wit.:

According to the official plats and system of surveys of the Government of the United States: In township twelve [12] south, range twenty-one [21] east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, of section twenty-one [21], the southeast quarter [SE¼] and the southwest quarter [SW¼].

Of section twenty-two [22], the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter [SW¼ of SW¼].

Of section twenty-eight [28], the southwest quarter [SW¼].

Containing in all five hundred and twenty [520] acres of land, more or less, together with the appurtenances.

TERMS OF SALE—Cash in gold coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer, balance on delivery of deed; and if not so paid, unless for want of title [ten days being allowed for search], then said ten per cent to be forfeited, and the sale to be void. Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.

HENRY C. CAMPBELL, } Trustees.
THADDEUS B. KENT,

fe13td

The sale above advertised is hereby postponed until Tuesday, March 13, 1894, at same hour and place above specified therefor.

HENRY C. CAMPBELL, } Trustees.
THADDEUS B. KENT,

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OLDEST BANK IN FRESNO COUNTY. ESTABLISHED 1882.

Paid Up Capital......$100,000
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O. J. Woodward......President
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Transacts a general banking business

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A. Kutner......President
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Capital Stock......$300,000
Paid Up......210,000

Louis Einstein......President
Wm Helm......Vice President
Leopold Gundelfinger......Cashier

DIRECTORS.

Louis Einstein, William Helm, Leopold Gundelfinger, H. B. Cholce, Max Frankenau.

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Reserve Fund......10,000 00
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Surplus and undivided profits January 1, 1893......3,270,486 50
William Alvord......President
Thomas Brown......Cashier
S. Prentiss Smith......Assistant Cashier
I F Moulton......Second Ass't Cashier

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Assessment Notice.

La Favorita Raisin Vineyard Company. Location of principal place of business, 119 Bush street, room 2, San Francisco, California. Location of property, Fresno county, California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 12th day of February, 1894, an assessment of twenty (20) dollars per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin, to the Treasurer, J. E. Higgins, at his office, 18 and 20 Spear street, San Francisco, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 17th day of March, 1894, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on Saturday, the 7th day of April, 1894, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JAS. E. HIGGINS, Secretary and Treasurer.

Office, 18 and 20 Spear street, San Francisco, California. fe16t5t

Notice of Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Cassandra Boren, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IN PURSUANCE of an order of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, made on the 16th day of December, A. D. 1893, in the matter of the estate of above named Cassandra Boren, deceased, the undersigned, the administrator of said estate, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, in lawful money of the United States, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on Saturday, the 17th day of March, 1894, at 1 o'clock p.m., in front of the Court House in the city of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Cassandra Boren, at the time of her death, and all of the right, title and interest that the said estate has, by operation of law or otherwise, acquired since her death, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, bounded and described with common certainty, as follows:

The south half of the southeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and lot number 7 of section six; the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter and the east half of the southeast quarter of section seven, and the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section eight, all in township fourteen south, of range twenty-six east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, and containing about 321.45 acres of land.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash, United States gold coin; deed at the expense of the purchaser. S. D. MCINTIRE, Administrator of the estate of Cassandra Boren, deceased. fe16td

Dated this February 16th, 1894.

Sheriff's Sale.

No. 4919.

Superior Court, County of Fresno.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Sarah Hopkins and Susan Hopkins, plaintiffs, vs. H. C. Warner, A. Heilbronner, J. T. Bonesteel, Saml. B. Welch, M. Munsch and W. J. Bonnett, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, of State of California, on the 2d day of February, A. D. 1894, in the above entitled action, wherein Sarah Hopkins and Susan Hopkins, the above named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against H. C. Warner, A. Heilbronner, J. T. Bonesteel, Samuel B. Welch, M. Munsch and W. J. Bonnett, defendants, on the 25th day of September, A. D. 1893, for the sum of $6,777.70 in gold coin of the United States, besides interest and accruing costs, which said decree was on the 25th day of September, A.D. 1893, recorded in decree book, vol. 5, of said court, at page --, I am commanded to sell all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

All the undivided two-thirds interest in lots ten (10), eleven (11) and twelve (12) in Fresno Colony, as per the official map or plat of said colony tract now on file in the office of the County Recorder of said Fresno county, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 12th day of March, A. D. 1894, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the court house door, of County of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Dated Fresno, Cal., February 16th, 1894.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.

By F. T. BERRY, Under Sheriff.

MR. FRANK H. SHORT, Attorney for Plaintiffs. fe16td

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Notice of Petition for Retail Liquor License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned have petitioned the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the county of Fresno, state of California, for a license to carry on a retail liquor business at 1017 I street, block 61, City of Fresno, county of Fresno, and that the hearing of said petition will be had by said Board of Supervisors on Thursday, the 8th day of March, 1894. fe8t4w WOLTERS & CO.

Notice of Petition for Retail Liquor License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has petitioned the honorable, the Board of Supervisors, of the County of Fresno, State of California, for a license to carry on a retail liquor business in the town of Firebaugh, County of Fresno, and that the hearing of said petition will be had by said Board of Supervisors the 8th day of March, 1894. fe8t4w ISAAC MYER.

Notice of Petition for Retail Liquor License.

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Notice of Petition for Retail Liquor License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned have petitioned the Honorable the Board of Supervisors, of, the county of Fresno, state of California, for a license to carry on a retail liquor business in block 49 corner of Fresno and G streets, city of Fresno, and that the hearing of said petition will be had by said Board of Supervisors on the 8th of March, 1894. fe8t4w A. CAPO & CO.

Notice of Petition for Retail Liquor License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has petitioned the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno, State of California, for a license to carry on a retail liquor business in Florence addition to the City of Fresno, on Elm avenue, and that the hearing of said petition will be had by said Board of Supervisors on the 8th of March, 1894. fe8t4 J. H. ROWE.

Notice of Petition for Retail Liquor License.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE undersigned has petitioned the Honorable the Board of Supervisors of the County of Fresno, State of California, for a license to carry on a retail liquor business in block 50, N.W. corner of G and Tulare streets, city of Fresno and that the hearing of said petition will be had by said Board of Supervisors on the 8th of March, 1894. fe8t4t THOMAS ALEXANDER.

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Will Cure All Diseases.

KERN STREET, BETWEEN G AND F.

Order to Show Cause Why Debtor Should Not Be Adjudged Insolvent.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Fresno.

In the matter of F. K. Luckeman, an insolvent debtor.

UPON READING AND FILING THE PETITION of Dallemand & Co., Hahn, Levy & Co., Bibo, Ickenberg & Newman, Joseph Huber, E. Fender and A. G. Sablich, and the same being accompanied by a bond as required by law, upon motion of J. P. Meux, Esq., counsel for the petitioners, it is ordered that above named F. K. Luckeman do appear at this court, at the court room thereof, in the County of Fresno, on the 23d day of December, 1893, at 10 o'clock a.m., and show cause, if any there be, why he should not be adjudged an insolvent debtor, in accordance with the provisions of the insolvent act of April 16, 1880, and why the prayer of the said petition should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that all creditors whose debts are provable under said act, abstain from prosecution to final judgment, any action therefor against said respondent, until the question of discharge shall have been determined, and that any and all suits and proceedings against him be stayed until the further order of the court.

It is further ordered, that said respondent be and he is hereby forbidden, until the further order of this court, to transfer any property and to collect or receive any debts, and the creditors of the said respondent are hereby forbidden to pay any debt to him, or to deliver to him any property belonging to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use.

It is further ordered, that a copy of said petition, with a copy of this order, shall be served on the said debtor in the same manner as is provided by law for the service of summons in civil actions, and that such service shall be made at least ten days before the time fixed for the hearing.

Dated this 6th day of December, 1893.

S. A. HOLMES, Judge of the Superior Court.

J. P. MEUX, Attorney for Petitioners, Fresno, Fresno county, California. d31t65

Summons.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

O. Scribner, plaintiff, vs. Alex Betbeder, defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court in and for the County of Fresno, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the clerk of said county.

The People of the State of California send greeting to Alex Betbeder, defendant.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior Court, in and for the County of Fresno, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the day of service on you of this summons, if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a judgment against you for the sum of five hundred and five dollars, alleged to be due, owing and unpaid from you, said defendant to said plaintiff, for goods, wares, merchandise, cigars, beer, etc., sold and delivered to you at and in the county of Fresno, state of California, at your special instance and request, alleging that said goods, wares, and merchandise, cigars, beer, etc., were sold and delivered as aforesaid by one Paul Friedman and by one Joseph Huber and assignment of their several claims therefor to this plaintiff. Plaintiff also prays for costs of suit.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint, as above required, the said plaintiff will cause your default to be entered and take judgment against you for said sum of five hundred and five dollars and costs of suit, as will more fully appear by said complaint on file as aforesaid, a copy of which is herewith served and to which you are hereby specially referred for further particulars.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court, in and for the County of Fresno, State of California, this 12th day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three.

[Seal] W. A. SHEPHERD, Clerk.

By S. ARTHUR, Deputy Clerk. d2at65

J. P. MEUX, Plaintiff's Attorney, Fresno, Fresno County, Cal.

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Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

BY MUTUAL CONSENT THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore carried on by the undersigned under the name of the Locan Vineyard Co. is hereby dissolved. Charles G. Bonner will close up the said partnership business, and is hereby authorized to collect all sums due to the Locan Vineyard Co. All persons to whom the Locan Vineyard Co. is indebted should send their accounts at once to Charles G. Bonner, rooms 175 and 176 Crocker building, San Francisco.

F. LOCAN,
CHAS. G. BONNER,
ALICE BONNER,
EDITH BONNER LINDSAY.

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THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN

Additional Local on Pages 1 and 4

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO DAILY:

1.25 A.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—For Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside.
3.00 A.M.—EXPRESS—For Collis, Mendota, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento and North.
6.00 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Wednesday only, for Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and Poso.
7.00 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday and Wednesday, for Porterville and way stations.
8.15 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily, for Lathrop and all way stations.
8.15 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.
9.10 A.M.—SUNSET EXPRESS (via Martinez)—For Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.
9.50 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—For Pollasky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 12.40 p.m.
12.15 P.M.—FRESNO PASSENGER (via Livermore)—For Merced, Lathrop, Sacramento, San Jose and San Francisco.
5.00 P.M. DAILY—For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.
5.50 P.M.—SUNSET ROUTE ATLANTIC EXPRESS—For Los Angeles, New Orleans and East.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, February 28—Observation taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon:

Temperature	62
Dew point	47
Humidity, per cent	68
Wind, N.W., miles per hour	6
Maximum temperature for past 24 hours	69
Minimum temperature for past 24 hours	42
Rainfall past 24 hours, inches	.00
Total rainfall for season, inches	5.88

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, February 28.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 8 a.m. March 2—Northern California.—Fair weather; nearly stationary temperature; light to fresh west to north winds.

EVENTS.

TO COME.

March 5.—Trial of Richard S. Heath.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Sperry's flour is best.

Seed potatoes. Hammond & Bates.

Salinas potatoes at Hobbs & Parsons.

Vote your coupons for Kings county.

Don't forget the old-fashioned country dance at Belmont hall tonight.

The new flouring mill will soon be in operation. It is rapidly nearing completion.

It is rumored that Dick Heath will be represented altogether by local counsel at his second trial.

J. M. Fox of Visalia has been appointed a clerk to assist in registering the Chinese in this district.

A baseball game has been arranged between the Athletics and THE REPUBLICANS for Sunday.

The Wolverine social club held it first social recently at the residence of B. W. Hutchinson in Fowler. It was a very enjoyable affair.

The people at Wildflower gave a ball last Monday evening, the proceeds of which were added to the county's Midwinter Fair fund.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist church will meet at the church instead of with Mrs. McDonald, as previously announced, Tuesday, March 1, 1894, at 2 o'clock.

Mrs. A. H. Nutt of "The Boston" millinery store has returned from San Francisco after a ten days' visit, purchasing goods and seeing the sights of the Midwinter Fair.

Cliff Reagan, the witness who is wanted in the Green case in Madera, has not yet been found, says the Madera Mercury. His testimony is of great importance to the prosecution.

Several have wanted to know how many reformed prisoners Mrs. Dennis, the missionary, has met in California. She says she has met forty-two men who claim now to be converted that were once convicts.

Rev. D. H. Gillan of the K-street Methodist church is wearing a broad smile, the occasion being that he and his excellent wife are now occupying the new parsonage on Merced street.

It is stated that the Indian found dead in the road near Toll House did not die from drink and exposure, but was murdered. Several knife wounds were found on his body near the heart.

Says the Visalia Delta: E. E. Bush of Hanford has made arrangements with San Francisco capitalists to develop the Central California coal mine in Wareham canyon near Coalinga. Active work will begin next week.

Burglars entered the Gilt Edge saloon Tuesday night, and stole $4 in change which had been put in a glass beneath the bar. The burglars effected an entrance by sawing in two the bolt of the padlock with which the door was fastened.

It is stated that sawdust from the Sequoia mills is being dumped into Kings river, through the flume, and thereby many fish are being driven from the head of the stream, and angling destroyed, to the detriment of the people of that section.—Visalia Delta.

Colonel W. D. Barnes, a dramatic critic and newspaper man of note, is paying Fresno the compliment of a friendly visit, and comparing present impressions of the county with what it was when he visited it twenty years ago. He gives it the benefit of his distinguished opinion in flattering terms.

William Rodgers' preliminary examination on a charge of assault with intent to commit murder, was held before Justice Crichton yesterday, who held him to answer in the sum of $1000. Rodgers stabbed Charles Wilson with a pocket knife several weeks ago at the United States hotel. The men had been enemies for some time.

"NED" HART DYING.

A Pioneer's Life Slowly Ebbing at the Hospital.

Yesterday afternoon "Ned" Hart, listless and feeble from consumption, lay slowly dying at the hospital, Dr. Maupin having pronounced the case hopeless and expressed the opinion that he might not last the night out.

When this was made known to him he smiled feebly, and motioning the doctor to put his head down by his pillow, whispered feebly, but cheerily, "You think I'm going to die, but I ain't. I'm going to vote for President in 1900!"

Edmond Palmer Hart is a native of New Jersey and is 74 years old. He formerly resided near Jones' Store, and his name has been connected with the history of this county from its beginning. Many an "old timer" will be saddened to learn that "Ned" Hart's life is flickering fitfully to the end and goes out just as the poppies bloom.

His former wife, Kate S. Hart, now resides in San Francisco, too feeble to respond to his wish for a last meeting. Fortune has favored him with many friends, but when measured by the world's yardstick of dollars, his life will not be rated a successful one by those who confess that unsympathetic standard.

Will Call a Council.

The Armenian members of the Congregational church of this city have decided to lay their grievance against Pastor Collins before a council of Congregational ministers. At a meeting held last Monday night the Armenians subscribed sufficient money to entertain the council should the ministers consent to come here to consider this complaint. Mrs. M. L. Peabody, formerly of this city, has taken sides with the Armenians and advised them to the action before mentioned. She was one of the first members of the church here.

Coal oil headquarters at Donahoo, Emmons & Co's. *

MR. GHENT'S POSITION

THE RAISIN GROWERS MUST BE SATISFIED.

The Common Cause is Superior to Personal Interests and Personal Prejudices.

HOMEWOOD VINEYARD, FRESNO, Cal., February 28, 1894.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN—Dear Sir: Your paper of today has an article in it signed by "Colony Lot," and you have commented on the said article very properly.

As one of the chosen directors, I am free to say that the cause that we have been chosen to represent is much larger and of vastly more importance than is the importance of any one, two or three remaining as directors if they are objectionable. For my own part I am willing at any moment to give place to any man who can give more satisfaction.

I have been selling my raisins through commission packers for two years, but I have told them time and again that I was decidedly opposed to the principles involved, and if I could have my way I would make it a criminal offense to do such work on commission as it was certain to bring ruin to this country, not only to the growers, but to all lines of business. This has been verified.

At our last Saturday's delegate meeting I was opposed to any measure coming before the convention save that of accepting or rejecting the committee's plan. I was decidedly opposed to lugging the packers into that meeting, and was much opposed to discussing that question there. I am of the same mind now. It was not a meeting that had been called in the interest of the packers; hence I considered the whole flurry we had about packers inconsistent and out of order.

I doubt not that those who brought the subject before the convention did it thinking it best to do so. I did not think it was the place to bring up such a vexed question. But after it was brought before the convention I tried to stop the discussion, as I believed it to be entirely out of order. It was not a packers' meeting. Our chairman is an excellent one, but did allow it to come before the delegates. I knew we never would get through the work before us if we did not stop the tempest.

If any man can afford to remain on the board of directors in opposition to the demands of my considerable number of growers I cannot see how he can do it and be consistent.

I wish to say to the public that I shall remain in the board of directors until I receive a reasonable excuse to resign. I shall act as secretary or do anything else the majority call on me to do. Now, I am willing to decline if there is any serious objections to my serving on the board. I believe every other man on the board is willing to do the same.

CARROLL GHENT, Secretary.

PERSONAL.

J. M. Fox was up from Visalia yesterday.

August Weihe is down from San Francisco.

J. R. White has been in Stockton on business.

J. E. Burnett was over from Sanger yesterday.

P. Y. Baker of Traver is in the city on business.

D. D. Lowrey of Visalia spent yesterday in this city.

J. H. Bidleman of St. Paul, Minn., is visiting Fresno.

T. G. Farrer went to Madera yesterday on business.

H. Jacobs of Madera arrived in the city last evening.

N. Manasse is down from San Francisco on business.

Captain O. H. Norris of Fowler was in town yesterday.

Charles Robson of Kingsburg is in Fresno on business.

I. Benas went to Hanford last night for a few days' visit.

L. A. Blasingame has returned from a trip to San Francisco.

Jonathan Espey of Lemoore was in the city yesterday on business.

Col. H. I. Thornton came down from San Francisco last evening.

Constable Jack Irvine of Sanger had business in Fresno yesterday.

A. P. Baker of Visalia is in town on business and visiting old friends.

Mrs. A. W. Jones and son, A. W. Jones Jr., have arrived from Monterey.

P. L. Robinson returned yesterday from an overland trip to San Luis Obispo.

J. F. Hall, of Hall Brothers, went to San Francisco yesterday to buy a new hearse.

Mrs. May Shelton will leave Sunday on an extended visit to an aunt in the country.

Colonel and Mrs. T. C. Mureau and children returned this morning to San Francisco.

E. Manheim of San Francisco was in Fresno yesterday, the guest of Alex Goldstein.

Capt. T. J. May has returned from an extended visit to Chicago and other eastern cities.

Billy Levinson arrived from San Francisco last evening to take a survey of the political field here.

William Reed of the Lottie K mine is in the city. He reports prospectors in that country more plentiful than bees.

Mrs. J. W. Ahern, wife of District Attorney Ahern of Kern county, was up from Bakersfield yesterday accompanied by Miss E. Moulty of the same place and J. G. Morrison of San Francisco.

FATTENING HOGS.

The Method Pursued by a Kern County Man.

From the Bakersfield Californian.

At Button Willow S. W. Wible is having hogs fattened on a large scale. Just now there are 2000 of them in the pens, and each one is gaining about two pounds in weight every day. They are fed upon Egyptian corn, which is prepared for them in the following manner:

Huge tanks have been constructed, each holding eighty sacks of Egyptian corn. A number of finely perforated pipes run lengthwise through these tanks, and when the charge of corn is put in steam is turned into the pipes. The tanks are charged about noon each day and the steam is kept on until the next morning. When taken out the corn looks for all the world as if it had been popped and is said to be exceedingly delicious to the human palate. This steamed corn is then mixed with water to form a pasty consistence and fed freely.

The troughs from which the hogs eat are kept scrupulously clean. Once a week the feed is salted a little, and occasionally wood ashes are mixed with it. The feed averages from five to six pounds of steamed corn daily per hog.

Cadwallader-Miles

Edward J. Cadwallader and Miss Mamie Miles were married at the home of a mutual friend in Belmont yesterday morning by Justice Austin. Mr. Cadwallader is foreman on the ranch of Costigan, Cohen & Co. near Sanger and the bride is a popular and amiable young lady of Riverdale. The happy pair will make their home on the Costigan ranch.

Teething babies and feverish children need Steedman's Soothing Powders. Try them. *

CROPS BETWEEN TREES.

Some Kinds of Crops More Injurious Than Others.

From the Tulare Register.

It does seem to a novice in horticulture that the spaces between young trees when first planted in orchard form can be utilized in the production of some kind of short crop that will pay part of the expenses of building up his orchard until such time as it will bear fruit.

The writer confesses that he labored under the same impression for a number of years, but during the last four years has made some practical experiments and the results with various crops are herein set forth for the information of your readers who may be or contemplate growing an orchard:

Potatoes, one crop, does no perceptible injury to the trees. Beans are very injurious, seeming in some way to poison the trees. More deaths occurred among the trees planted with beans between the rows than any other vegetable.

Watermelons stunt the trees very much, particularly is this the case with prune trees.

Pumpkins do not stunt the trees and do but little harm, but they do no good either.

Corn is exceedingly stunting and whatever you get for a corn crop will be offset by a shortage in your fruit crop—besides holding back your trees from a proper "up to date" development.

Peanuts do not injure the trees materially, but they encourage the breeding of "red spider" and that insect is destructive to young trees, besides that it costs money to keep him in subjection.

Strawberries are not injurious; blackberries I have never tried. Wheat, barley or hay crops of any kind are very bad. To sum the entire matter up there are only one or two crops that should be raised between your trees—if any. Of course, to a poor man starting an orchard it looks wasteful to cultivate so much land that is unoccupied between his trees, but experience has shown the writer that the success lies in cultivating it "all the same." C. F. BERRY.

VENI, VIDI, VICI.

J. CÆSAR AWARDED A GROUP OF MULES.

The Bank of Madera Mulcted in Damages by the Jury.

The case of J. Cæsar against Constable Green of Madera in form, but the Bank of Madera in fact, was concluded yesterday in Judge Webb's department, the jury finding for the plaintiff in every particular.

The case, which originated in a contest over the title to about a dozen and a half mules, to which Cæsar claimed ownership, has occupied the court for the past two days, and owing to the distinguished and historic name of the plaintiff, the classic wits of the bar have been flippantly referring to it as "De Bello Mullico" when not within the hearing of Judge Webb, who is wont to impose vindictive fines for contemptuous remarks of this kind.

C. Z. Turnbaugh of Madera, it seems, at one time owned the larger portion of the mules in question and leased them to Mr. Hiette of the same place. Later they were sold to J. Cæsar of Traver, who used them in grading the railroad extension on the Asphalt branch below Bakersfield. That completed, he returned them to pasture near Traver for a few days, then hired them out to Hiette to haul lumber from Mariposa to Madera.

Hiette, it seems, had endorsed a note held by the Bank of Madera which was not met at maturity and the bank people caused Constable Green to seize the mules on a writ of attachment, on the theory that the mules actually belonged to Hiette—the transfer to Cæsar being merely an attempt to evade their claim.

The costs of the litigation that followed, including claim, keepers' fees, etc., amounted to about $800, and the mules and some lumber were sold to liquidate these claims. Then Cæsar brought suit for restoration of the mules, or their value, and for damages. The jury found for the plaintiff, fixing their value at $1500 in case they could not be returned, and for $1500 damages, besides costs, amounting to $200. W. H. Larew appeared as attorney for plaintiff with F. H. Short of counsel, and R. L. Hargrove for the defendant with George L. Warlow of counsel.

OLEANDER ITEMS.

A Football Game Between the Oleanders and Fowlers.

Last Sunday night a missionary concert was given at the school house. It was a great success, there being not even standing room left. We are soon to have a church here.

Great sympathy is felt in the community for the wife and family of John James, who departed this life Wednesday, the 21st instant. The funeral took place on Friday, and no less than forty-nine carriages followed the remains to their last resting place. Deceased was 61 years of age, and was highly respected.

The Oleander football club will line up against Fowler on Sunday next on the Oleander grounds. The teams are evenly matched and a good game is expected. Following are the names and positions of the players:

OLEANDERS.	POSITIONS.	FOWLERS.
R. Godley	Full Back	C. Layman
F. Perry	Left Half	W. Balch, Capt
W. J. Godley, Capt.	Right Half	Ed Balch
G. E. Elliott	Quarter Back	C. Wrightson
E. Balch	Left End	H. Kemp
G. Wilson	Right End	Ransome
A. Wrightson	Left Guard	F. Nelson
A. Langley	Right Guard	W. Aiken
G. Phillips	C. Rush	C. H. A. Davis
F. Hobler	L. Tackle	F. V. Chase
R. Wilson	R. Tackle	Tugwell

L. Plant and E. F. Mitchell left for San Francisco last Monday, and will make their future homes there. They will be greatly missed by the Athletic club of Oleander. WAH! WAH!

Oleander, February 28, 1894.

TO VISIT FRESNO.

An Eastern Agricultural Journalist Coming.

Herbert Myrick, editor of the American Agriculturist of New York city, and the Farm and Home of Springfield, Mass., and Chicago, Ill., is about to make an extensive tour of investigation through the southwest and Pacific coast.

His wife will accompany him, and he will visit Fresno en route. It was largely due to his efforts that congress passed the act which gives the state $15,000 annually for the Agricultural Experiment station, which is proving valuable to farmers.

A Prowler Routed.

As Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thorne were returning home from the theater Tuesday evening a suspicious acting person was noticed prowling about their residence on the corner of Tuolumne and J streets. Mr. Thorn went around the house to investigate who the intruder was, who immediately took to his heels, closely followed by Mr. Thorn. He soon got away in the darkness, however. He appeared to be a well dressed young man and was probably intent on some mischief, which was prevented only by Mr. Thorn's timely arrival.

Spring Opening.

Grand opening of spring millinery Thursday, Friday and Saturday, March 1st, 2d and 3d, at Miss M. Ryan's, 1140 J st.

CONVICT NO. 3055.

WARDEN AULL FINDS A JOB FOR EVANS.

Ed Morrell Boasts That He Will Not Go to State's Prison.

A dispatch from Sacramento announces that Warden Aull of Folsom has at last provided convict No. 3055, Chris Evans, with an occupation. Owing to Evans' crippled condition he cannot do hard labor, and Warden Aull has given him something easy.

Evans has been placed at the foot of the stairs leading to the hospital and dispensary of the Folsom prison, to prevent any convict from ascending to these departments unless authorized by one of the prison officers. Owing to his reputed "fearless" disposition, the officers believe him to be eminently fitted for this position.

Evans is said to be suffering a good deal of pain in his injured eye, which waters considerably. The stump of his left arm is also giving him trouble. It does not seem to have occurred to the warden, however, that the bandit may be playing the same trick he did here.

Ed Morrell, who is in jail here awaiting trial, is still as uncommunicative as ever. About the only noteworthy statement he has made recently is that he would never go to state's prison. Whether he believes he will be able to make his escape or intends to foil justice by doing away with himself, is a matter of conjecture.

Morrell is subjected to the strictest surveillance, and no one is permitted to have any intercourse with him. He is kept locked up in his cell day and night, the additional precaution being taken at night of incumbering him with an Oregon boot. The sheriff is exercising the utmost vigilance, and it seems impossible for the fellow to escape.

There are four doors and five locks between Morrell and freedom. In the daytime the door of the jailer's office is necessarily kept open, but at night it is closed. The inner door of the corridor has two locks of different pattern. Morrell takes his confinement philosophically.

MATRIMONIAL BLISS.

How Its Acquisition Was Temporarily Delayed.

From the Selma Irrigator.

J. W. Paine and Miss Bell Graham of Toll House were married at the Academy Monday by Rev. Dr. Hedgepeth, but the way to matrimonial bliss was not all smooth and delightful, and Mr. Paine has already had sufficient experience to convince him that "The way of the Benedict is hard."

Mr. Paine is a brother of Mrs. O. W. Stearns of this place. He left here Sunday morning with a horse and buggy and drove to Toll House. Monday morning he and his intended started to the Academy, where they were to be married by Rev. Hedgepeth. About four miles beyond the Academy the buggy reach broke and the front axle was pulled from under the buggy by the horse. Mr. Paine was dragged out, and measured his length in the dusty road.

There was no way of repairing the dilapidated vehicle, and Mr. Paine was obliged to leave his bride while he rode the horse four miles to secure another rig. He finally found one and succeeded in reaching the Academy, where Rev. Hedgepeth pronounced the words that united the fortunes of the young people for life.

They drove to Selma last night, where Mr. Paine has been spending his spare moments for the past few weeks in fitting up a cosy little home in the north part of town.

Court Notes.

February 28th.

The following business was transacted before the several departments of the superior court yesterday:

No business transacted in department 1 yesterday.

BEFORE JUDGE HOLMES, DEPARTMENT 2.

W. M. Wyatt vs J. W. Martin et. al.; default entered.

F. M. Curran vs. Florence Improvement company; case dismissed.

Jacob Browning vs. Stinson Canal company; default entered.

BEFORE JUDGE WEBB, DEPARTMENT 3.

M. Madsen vs. M. J. Lee; motion for new trial denied, stay of ten days granted.

Theo M. Marceau et. al, vs. L. Burks; order vacating stay of proceedings, and that execution issue forthwith.

Mallor vs. Johnson; continued without date.

B. H. Paul vs. F. K. Prescott et. al.; stipulated defendant have judgment for $50, without costs upon cross complaint.

J. Cæsar vs. J. W. Green, constable; trial resumed, argued and submitted to jury; verdict for the plaintiff as prayed.

NEW CASES.

Sarah Wallace vs. W. J. Wallace; divorce.

Antone Modena vs. John Turnbull; certiorari.

L. E. Abbott vs. the 76 Land and Water company; damages.

A. D. Moore et. al. vs. F. W. Maurice; debt.

AN ERRONEOUS REPORT.

An Unfair Reflection on the Hospital Management.

In Tuesday's issue of THE REPUBLICAN the fact was noted that some complaint had been made with regard to some of the supplies furnished to indigents by order of the board of supervisors.

In copying this the evening paper enlarged it by saying that it was the food furnished at the county hospital, which is incorrect. The food at the hospital comes under the inspection of the steward and Dr. W. T. Maupin, who see that it is wholesome.

The instance referred to was a case outside the hospital, which was promptly remedied when attention was called to it, and the matter explained to the satisfaction of Chairman Letcher.

Juvenile Athletics.

A juvenile class was organized at the Athletic club's gymnasium Saturday with eighteen members. A ladies' class will be organized Friday, and the ladies of Fresno are invited to pay the club a visit and be shown through the gymnasium. The hours of the ladies' class will be from 4 to 6 p.m.

Paints and oils at wholesale at Donahoo, Emmons & Co's. *

Sperry's best family flour has led all others for forty years.

"THE BOHEMIAN GIRL."

A Good Presentation, But a Poor House.

The attendance at the Barton last evening clearly demonstrated that Fresno is not a good second night opera town. The audience was not nearly so large as that which witnessed "The Black Hussar" on Tuesday evening, notwithstanding the good impression made by the Calhoun company.

"The Bohemian Girl" is a very pretty opera, but somewhat antique. It has been on the boards so long and included in the repertoire of so many opera companies that it is no wonder that public appreciation has commenced to pall.

The music, however, is entrancing and the Calhoun company give it a very clever presentation.

The individual work last night was not up to the standard of the evening before, and the company really appears to better advantage in "The Black Hussar." Miss Laura Clement, the leading soprano, had the burden of the solo work and she warbled very sweetly. Miss Clement is a star in the vocal firmament and enjoys a well established and merited reputation. Some regret was expressed that Miss May Harlaw did not appear, as she gained a strong hold in the hearts of her hearers last evening.

George Lyding, the handsome tenor, sang several solos, and among others the popular "Then You'll Remember Me." Mr. Lyding possesses a clear, rich tenor, and he will be pleasantly remembered here. William Schuster shared the honors of the evening, his strong, melodious baritone winning deserved plaudits. Douglass Flint and Miss Sylvester Cornish, as the chief and queen of the gypsies, respectively, are clever actors and contribute much to the entertainment musically.

The Calhoun company will play to better houses upon its next appearance here.

Professor E. S. Laurie and his company of local talent have in preparation and rehearsal Bulwer's charming drama, "The Lady of Lyons," which will be presented in the near future.

A VERY SAD CASE.

THE WANDERINGS OF A HOSPITAL PATIENT.

An Italian Frenzied With the Pain of a Cancer Roams About Aimlessly.

A number of residents from the colonies southwest of the city complain bitterly because the officers failed, when requested, to go out and care for a man who was suffering from a fearful cancer of the mouth, who had been found in that locality.

Investigation shows him to be an Italian, who had been under treatment at the hospital for his malignant affliction, but had been pronounced incurable by a number of physicians who counseled with Dr. Maupin on the case.

He was not insane, though suffering intensely, and was allowed to walk about the grounds just as other patients do who are not under restraint for want of mental balance. He disappeared, as inmates often do without notice, and inquiry was made of his whereabouts.

Dr. Maupin heard of him out on Arlington Heights and sent a man with a wagon out there after him, but he had disappeared and no trace of him had been found when the citizens from West Park way brought him to jail. He was at once returned to the hospital and is now in the ward for the irresponsible under restraint and in the care of a nurse.

The citizens who found him say that he came near perishing from cold and exposure, and say that he seemed demented. This is probably due to the great pain he was suffering, and the further fact that, being an Italian, he did not understand what was said to him, nor could he make himself understood.

With regard to their complaint that officers were derelict in their duty in not going to his assistance when notified, as charged by the citizens who found him, there could be no reasonable excuse or explanation. However no blame attaches to the hospital management, nor would there have been delay had the notification come to that quarter. Dr. Maupin states that the cancer will end his life within a very short time.

A Sure Cure.

The merchant was rather blue, and his wife, noticing it, asked what the matter was.

"Matter enough," he sighed. "I've been looking over my books and find I've lost money every month for the last year."

"How did you lose it?" she inquired.

"O, I don't know," he said wearily, shaking his head.

"Nor where?"

"No."

Then she thought a minute and remembered what she did when she lost her pocketbook, and her face brightened.

"Why don't you advertise for it?" she asked, innocently.

"By George!" he exclaimed, "I never thought of that," and the next day he had a big display ad in the paper, and the next and the next, and in three months time he was in clover up to his chin.—Detroit Free Press.

A Discount Sale.

Clothing will go at nominal figures during the great discount sale which begins at Hermann's Fashion Clothing store, Mariposa street, today. Everything will be marked down. Call and see the bargains. *

Orange and Lemon Trees.

A large assortment of home grown orange and lemon trees, grown in our nursery at Centerville, now in stock at our sales yard, I street, opposite Kutner, Goldstein & Co. Marshall & Wilson. *

Hello! Yes, I buy all my groceries at B. T. Scott's store. It's the cheapest place in town.

Mrs. Dooly, tell your neighbors to buy all their groceries at B. T. Scott's, as he is selling everything almost at cost.

"Say, Mrs. Haley, why is it that everyone speaks so highly of Scott's store?" Because he sells the best goods at the lowest prices and gives each customer a $15 portrait.

B. T. Scott's store is the place to buy sugar, flour, sugar cured hams, bacon and pure leaf lard. Fresh colony butter received every day.

Paying cash for goods and a short credit system is the reason Scott is selling groceries so low.

Ask your neighbor what she pays for groceries at other stores. *

ASSESSMENT LISTS.

RETURNS THAT PROVOKE ASSESSOR HUTCHINSON.

Uncle Bill Says the Answers Are Incompetent, Irrelevant and Immaterial.

A few days ago County Assessor William Jarvis Hutchison finished mailing the last of about 2500 assessment list blanks to non-resident taxpayers, on which was stamped in large red letters, "Fill out with all your property in Fresno county, write your name and address plainly and return immediately."

This accomplished, he repaired to his suburban villa on the Hundred Foot avenue, and fetching forth his oft abused fiddle, proceeded in the fullness of his joy to make life a burden in that vicinity with such classic Arkansaw skits as "Natchez Under the Hill" and "Hi Biddy Martin, Tiptoe Fine," and dreamed of the days of ease and peace to follow from his scheme to reduce the labor of his next assessment to the minimum.

Just at present he is engaged in opening the returns as they come tumbling in by mail, and his mouth wears the puckered expression of a man who had inadvertently masticated a bad oyster, while his remarks ought to be filed as a special exhibit in San Davis' '49 Mining Camp at the Midwinter Fair.

After he had cooled off his tongue yesterday with Tobasco pepper sauce, he exhibited the following curios received in the day's mail, which were hurled at him as intelligent answers to his polite requests:

"Same as last year"—without date, address or signature. "I own twenty acres in your county"— no name, etc. "I am sorry to say I own no other property except three Shelbyville lots." "Mr. Assessor, I own no property in your county except real estate, and you know where that is." "Two lots in the Darling tract; there is grape vines on them; don't know real value; use your best gugement. Pay tax on both not every year." Then Uncle Bill turned his face toward the mountains and when he finished a somewhat free and untrammeled expression of opinion there was no snow left on the foothills as far up as Trimmer's Springs.

PLYMOUTH ROCK SHOE STORE

Crowds Daily Filling This Popular Place.

People know a good thing when they see it, as is shown by the crowds which daily fill the Plymouth Rock Shoe store to avail themselves of the bargains in boots and shoes offered there. The entire present stock is being closed out at a great reduction to make room for the spring assortment. The bargains that are being offered there are too numerous to mention, but a visit to the store will convince one that it is the place to buy shoes to advantage. A glance at the Plymouth Rock advertisement in another column of this paper will give the reader an idea of the extent of the reductions in prices in boots and shoes. *

Standing Room Only.

I was intensely amazed and amused when in a cable car in New York one day to hear the conductor call, just before the car turned onto Fourteenth street, "Hold fast!" and the way standers made wild grasps for straps made one think perhaps the car was about to perform some sort of pas seul. But not at all! It merely leered around the corner as our cars do every few minutes without the warning of any conductor, and not until it was humming well on its course up Broadway did people relax their holds and the fixed tension of their expression.—Cor. Boston Advertiser.

A Graduate.

He was suffering with a pain and slight swelling in his breast and visited the doctor for relief, who turned him over to the kid, one of the hospital assistants, with instructions to have the swollen parts painted. The kid dipped his brush into the iodine, and with a flourish drew a circle around the swollen part and proceeded to fill it in, when the patient remarked, "You are an expert at making a circle." "Yes," was the reply, "I was born and raised in a dancing academy." The patient fainted.—[illegible] Press.

Try our whole wheat bread. Doctors recommend it. German Bakery, 833 G st.*

The beard can be easily colored brown or black by Buckingham's Dye. *

Peruvian, Cascara Bark and Wild Cherry Bark, Sarsaparilla and Dandelion Roots, Buchu, Capsicum, Honey and the best California Sherry Wine, which compose Jaffe's Intrinsic Tonic, are the best known remedies for impure blood, dyspepsia, constipation, liver, kidney and bladder troubles, female complaints, nervous prostration, etc., and Jaffe's Electric Pain Expeller is guaranteed to cure all aches and pains, la grippe, pneumonia, bronchitis, catarrh, rheumatism, and most ailments of man and beast. All drug stores. Smith Bros., wholesale agents. *

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Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect laxative; effectually cleansing the system dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession because it acts on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and $1 bottles, but it is manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

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We shall carry larger and more complete stocks in all departments than we have hitherto carried.

We shall continue to do business on a strictly cash basis.

We shall sell at the lowest possible cash prices.

We shall continue to mark all goods in plain figures, from which no deviation will be made. Consumers shall receive the best possible value for cash. In trading with us they wont pay for bad debts, nor for dressmakers' discounts, as we credit none and give no dressmakers discounts.

During this Week New Goods will Arrive Daily in All Departments.

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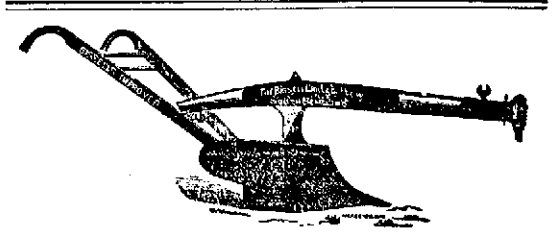

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Smith, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administratrix of the estate of John H. Smith, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at her residence in the city of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, or at the office of Frank H. Short, corner of Tulare and J streets, in said city and county, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

LECETTA H. SMITH,
Administratrix of the estate of John H. Smith, deceased.

Frank H. Short, Attorney for said Administratrix.

Dated February 15, 1894. fe7t10

Assessment Notice.

The Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno

Location of principal business Fresno, Fresno county, State of California.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A meeting of the Board of Directors, held on the 17th day of February, 1894, an assessment (No. 4) of $7 per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in United States gold coin to the secretary at the office of the company, corner K and San Diego streets, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on Thursday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1894, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold Friday, the 18th day of May, at the hour of 1 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, at the office of the company, corner K and San Diego streets, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale. By order of the Board of Directors.

[Seal] Signed, W. P. Foxley,
Secretary of the Producers' Raisin Packing Company of Fresno.

Fresno city, Fresno county, State of California, February 17, 1894. f18td

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TO A WITHERED ROSE.

The span of life was all too short—
A week or two at best—
From budding time, through blossoming,
To withering and rest.

Yet compensation hast thou—aye,
For all thy little woes—
For was it not thy happy lot
To live and die a rose?

—John Kendrick Bangs in Harper's Weekly.

PARSON TOM.

Saddle Hess Pete's record in the mining camps of the San Juan district was as unsavory as his crouching form was unsightly and his hoarse voice disagreeable. He was a short, thick built man—if man he really was, for he had more the appearance of a boy—who shuffled about and leered at you with a devilish grin which made you feel uneasy in his presence.

His brain was quick, though his physical movements were slow, and he was strong as a beast. His record was that of an born gambler and all round thief. Added to this he bore the reputation of having been run out of Leadville for horse stealing, and having escaped from Tombstone's ready made justice, charged with a like offense. Thus he came to the mining camp lying in a pretty basin under the shadow of old King Solomon, one of the grandest mountains of southern Colorado.

Nine-tenths of the population had departed before the first storm had come, as was the custom in new camps in the early days before the railroads had broadened the trails and opened the passes through the Rocky mountains. Only about 100 men and women remained in camp that winter, and they had little else to do than amuse themselves. They were law abiding and had little use for peace officers. So the town and county officials took their usual vacation with others who did not feel like facing the rigid winter which was predicted.

Saddle Hess Pete did not go out with the majority. In fact, Pete seldom acted with the majority. He usually formed a minority—of one. But he was not disappointed at their leaving him. He thought he would be able to stand it for one season. But Paymaster Bill and Big Frank, who seemed to be looked upon as guardians of the affairs of the camp, plainly told him that he must get out—that the penalty of his return would be sudden death. So Saddle Hess Pete departed before the second storm had come—whither nobody knew.

Parson Tom had come to the camp in the previous spring and had made a good impression on his own kind of people, though the present remaining population knew little of him and did not care whether he remained or not. None of them were churchgoing people. But as the parson said he had no idea of preaching nobody objected to his staying in camp. He gave as a reason for staying that in case of death his services would be needed. Beyond that he would not intrude his offices.

The extreme length of the winter had led Paymaster Bill to inquire into the parson's finances, and learning that there was a probability of his running short before his parishioners should return Bill proposed to the men in the camp that a purse be raised.

His suggestion was acted upon, and Paymaster Bill himself presented the hatful of money, accompanying the presentation with an appropriate extempore speech, in which he advised Parson Tom of the appreciation of the donors.

Parson Tom declared he could not accept the money unless he should have an opportunity to earn it.

"But we don't none of us want ter die," objected Bill, "jist ter give ye a chance fer earn the money. We'd rather pay ye ter pray fer our continued good health, jist as we drinks ter your good health w'en we makes up that purse."

Parson Tom laughed and said he had no desire for the demise of any one, but merely wanted to give them some return for the money.

That night Parson Tom appeared in Big Frank's saloon, where the entire male population was endeavoring to break the bank, having cleaned up the corner saloon early in the evening.

The appearance of the parson created a flutter, and one or two superstitious players lost every bet they made for the balance of the deal. When the end of the deal had been reached, the parson asked their attention for a few minutes, and mounting the platform which held the lookout chair he thanked them kindly for their generous donation and said if they would come to the little schoolhouse on Sunday evening for a half hour he would endeavor to entertain them without preaching a sermon. He declared that he could not accept their money without earning it.

The invitation was accepted, and the parson was asked to have a cigar, which he lighted, while the crowd drank "to the health of Parson Tom." He bowed his acknowledgments without further interruption of the game.

Upon entering his cabin, Parson Tom stirred the fire, thinking of his visit, and after sitting by its warmth till he had thawed himself he went to his trunk, which held his treasure, to look at the little hoard of gold and silver which these rough men of the mountains had so kindly donated.

It was not there! Perhaps in his excitement at his good fortune he had hidden it from himself and forgotten the hiding place. But, no, it was not in the cabin!

The parson was troubled. He could not believe that any of the men who had been so kind to him would be guilty of robbery. And yet the money was gone. The long buckskin bag in which he kept his money and which bore his name worked in silken thread he found behind the trunk.

When he met Paymaster Bill on the following morning, he mentioned his loss. Bill was astonished. He did not believe that any man in the camp was mean enough to steal, "at any rate, not a parson's money."

The story of the loss of Parson Tom's money was told about the camp, and while it was a mystery to some the more irreverent smiled and said they guessed the parson was excited and that it would turn up all right in time.

On Sunday the sun shone out bright and clear, and old King Solomon was as glorious a sight as one might wish to see. His Biblical namesake in all his reputed glory could not have furnished a grander inspiration. But Parson Tom had promised not to preach. Besides, he was not quite sure that the incredibility concerning the loss of his money had entirely disappeared. So he must be careful what he should say to them that night.

Every male person was promptly on hand that night at the little schoolhouse, and there was a sprinkle of the other sex—women who had not listened to a preacher's voice since they wore little girls.

The half hour was devoted to reading stories which were responded to by hearty laughter and a few pathetic exclamations.

When Parson Tom had finished and was about to say good night, Paymaster Bill arose and reminded his companions that on the night the parson had called on them it had been proposed that a round be started toward building a church. Then he added:

"I don't reckon none of yu has got a million o' buckin down on thet ther' proposition. Ef yo has, let's hear it."

There was not a dissenting voice, though the amount of gold and silver dropped in the parson's pretty buckskin bag was not so large as it might have been had the parson not "lost his first winnin."

The moon had dropped down behind the peak of King Solomon, leaving the camp in darkness, while soft snow fell with that steady monotony which indicates a heavier fall to come.

Parson Tom had just opened the door of his cabin to step in when a heavy hand was laid upon his throat and a hoarse voice demanded:

"Give me that money! Quick!"

The parson was by no means a coward. He struggled with his assailant, and together they fell into the cabin and rolled out into the light cover of fresh snow which had fallen on the frozen crust. Muttered curses and a tighter grip upon his throat met his resistance.

"D—n this snow; if this job could have been done an hour earlier, I'd 'a' bin all right," muttered the voice as the form moved away in the darkness.

That was the last the parson heard. The light snow fell straight from the sky. There was no wind to disturb its course, and the soft, fine flakes were hardly plentiful enough to furnish a bed for footprints.

Parson Tom knew not how long he had lain there, and despite the warmer temperature he was numb with cold when he crawled into his cabin. He was so completely overcome by the struggle with his assailant and the cold that he lay upon his bed in a stupor far into the night.

When he arose, the snow was falling in great sheets like drifts from the gulch above. He opened the door and looked out. He could see nothing but the blinding storm and the darkness, which was scarcely subdued by the ghastly whiteness of the snow. He dared not venture out. No man could live an hour in that terrible storm.

Rekindling the fire, the parson sat down and tried to think—tried to think where he had heard that voice before it demanded his money. If he could only recall that, he would be able to identify the man who had robbed him. Without that recollection his claim that he had been robbed the second time would be only laughed at by the men who had been so generous in their gifts.

But it was impossible to recall it, though he knew he had heard it and remarked its peculiar tone. And there he sat through the long, black night, hoping against hope.

It was broad noonday when he awoke, sitting by the dying embers on the hearth. The sun shone brighter than it had shone for weeks. Its hot rays melted the snow on the roofs of the houses, and the day was like a day in spring. But it brought no joy to the heart of Parson Tom.

The habitues of Big Frank's saloon had hardly settled themselves down to the pleasures or pastimes of the day—their morning hour being the noontime—when they were startled by the ghostlike appearance of Parson Tom. In a trembling voice he told his story.

"He plays it well," sneered Big Frank. "That's a purty good makeup he've got on yer face. Ye'd mighter ye a performer. There'll be a chance for ye when the variety show opens up in thet spring."

This speech was greeted with laughter by the crowd, and the poor parson was dumb—but not deaf—with mortification. How could he face these men who disbelieved his very first utterance? He turned to go.

"Hold on ther'!" cried Paymaster Bill. "This is twicet yer say yer bin robbed in this camp. Both times it was our money as ye was robbed of—money 'at we give ye. Now ye've got ter prove it, fer we don't 'low no man to accuse none o' us o' robbin him the second time 'thout he produces ther proof."

"Ther proofs w'at we wants!" shouted the crowd.

Parson Tom stood as still as death. He could not speak.

"An ther's another thing ye've got ter prove," continued Bill as he saw the parson would not reply. "Ye've got ter prove thet yo didn't rob some other parties besides yerself. More'n one cabin was burglarized last night, an ef ye ain't ther burglar then—prove it!"

But Parson Tom could utter no sound, save a groan of anguish. Could he but recall that voice! But, no! His memory failed.

There he stood as dumb as though he had been born without speech, while Paymaster Bill demanded that he prove his innocence, and the crowd, led on by Big Frank, sneered at and reviled the accused.

During this trying ordeal for the parson, three men, selected by Big Frank, had gone to the parson's cabin, and there, upon the floor, had found a nugget of gold belonging to Big Frank.

This they brought and floated in the face of the trembling victim. Well he knew how it had come there, but it was idle to assert or protest. His words—if he could have spoken—would have been to these infuriated men like the screech of a wild bird borne on the wind in a howling storm.

"Yo hev no proof o' yer innicence," said Paymaster Bill hotly, "an we hev this proof o' yer guilt. W'at d'ye say now?"

Parson Tom saw that all hope was lost, but with dying hope his speech returned, and he said with much evident effort:

"Gentlemen, I see no hope of establishing my innocence, but still maintain it. That nugget of gold must have been dropped by the robber in our struggle in the cabin. If I could recall the voice, I should convince you. It was none of you who did the deed, but one who has once lived here among you, though I cannot tell his name. He cannot live far away—perhaps at one of the idle mines or in some deserted tunnel. He went toward the gulch, for had he come this way he would have had to cross my body as I lay there in the snow. That is all I have to say. Do with me as you must."

It was useless to search the gulch—the heavy snow would not permit. And then these angry men had no doubt of the guilt of the parson. Only the production of the man he claimed had robbed him would destroy their belief in his guilt. The crowd grew angrier as the minutes passed.

"The parson has lied," coolly remarked Big Frank, whose faith in the preacher sort had never been strong.

"He's an ungrateful robber," Paymaster Bill added.

"Hang him!" yelled a man in the crowd.

The excitement increased like the roar of the wind through the gulches in the coming of a storm. A minute more and the infuriated mob who, in the absence of a court, had tried, convicted and sentenced the accused was eager to execute the sentence of death.

Like wild men they flew to the upper end of the camp, dragging the parson with them. Convinced of his guilt and maddened by thoughts of his ingratitude, no hand could stay them.

Quickly the preparations for the execution were made. Two barrels, each of which supported an end of a broad plank, placed under the stout limb of a great tree, formed the scaffold. One end of the rope was fastened to the limb, the other formed into a noose and placed over the head and around the neck of the trembling parson.

"Air ye ready?" cried the leader of the mob to the two men who were stationed at the ends of the plank ready to lift it out from under the feet of the doomed man.

"Give him one more chance to tell who robbed him," demanded Paymaster Bill.

Standing there upon that plank, with the death rope around his neck, Parson Tom's memory returned. The ugly face of his assailant, which he could not see the night before in the darkness, was now plainly visible, and the crouched form of the robber appeared as plain as on the day he had sneaked out of camp at the command of these same men.

The crowd waited almost breathlessly.

"Quick!" shouted Big Frank, who was leader.

"Saddle — Horse — Pete!" almost shouted the parson.

The crowd broke out in jeers.

"Oh, no!" they said; "that can't be. He was drove out, an he's not likely to show his head anywheres roun this camp. That won't do. Guess ag'in."

"Once ag'in. Air ye ready?" shouted Big Frank.

"Yes," came the calm but determined voices of the two men at the ends of the plank.

"Give him time fer pray," begged an unwilling participant.

"Pray, then!" shouted the leader.

Parson Tom stood erect, with bowed head. Slowly and with firmness he lifted his voice. Suddenly he faltered, turning his face toward the mountain.

Hark! Look! The excited group of men stood there riveted to the ground. The hands of those who held the plank were frozen as if in death's clutch. The tongue of him whose word was law was paralyzed. The sound which filled their ears carried more terror to their souls than the awful roar of battle, the rushing of the mighty waters in a storm at sea and the rumbling of an earthquake, all combined, could have inspired.

On, on it came, tearing from their roots great trees that had withstood the storms of generations; hurling heavy branches, logs, timbers and rocks a hundred feet above the heads of the frightened witnesses. Great clouds of snow filled the air and hid from view the surrounding mountains.

Not a man in that group, all huddled together like so many frightened animals, but comprehended the situation in an instant.

These men, who were brave enough of heart to have fought with the inspiration of patriotism on the field of battle, or faced with fearless courage the ocean's wrath, or listened without the faintest dread to the earthquake's fearful ramblings, stood trembling like little children in the face of a snowslide!

Swift as a meteor it came, and like the bursting of a thunderbolt had spent its wrath, and its dreadful harvest lay scattered far and wide, like dead and wounded soldiers on a battlefield.

And when the sky had cleared there lay, at the feet of them who held a life within their grasp, a dead and frozen human form. Tight against the breast the clutched and stiffened fingers of the dead held the buckskin bag of money—the evidence of Parson Tom's innocence! The crowd fell back aghast.

It was Saddle Hess Pete!—Lewis H. Eddy in San Francisco Argonaut.

Artificial Purification of Water.

A notable example is furnished by the city of Berlin, in the interests of public health, in its treatment of water by artificial purification, the present system being, as stated, the result of extensive experiments for 15 years past. It seems that the attempt was first made to establish a plan of natural filtration by digging deep wells near the river and lakes from which water was obtained, and allowing the water to drain through the soil from the source of supply to the wells, from which it was then pumped to the city reservoirs, but this plan was abandoned on the fact being demonstrated that the water thus supplied remained impure. Artificial filtration was consequently substituted, the water being filtered through sand, a large number of filter basins meeting this requirement. They are covered by roofs of stone, earth and soil, in order to prevent atmospheric contamination and the formation of ice in cold weather as well as to facilitate the frequent removals of those impurities which gather upon the surface of the sand. The careful examinations of the water constantly made by official experts show that, while there is a small reduction in the quantity of organic matter in the filtered water, the important fact also appears that there is a retention of solid impurities and of a large percentage of bacteria.—New York Tribune.

A Troublesome Word.

How much better it would be if the past tense of the verb read could be changed to red. The verb read would then form the past tense (red) analogously with the verb lead, and that tense, as in the case of led, would then be spelled as it is pronounced, red. When a person is reading aloud and comes to the word read, he is often unable to tell whether it should be pronounced reed or red and after mispronouncing it read when it should be pronounced red, or vice versa, he is obliged, after getting into the midst of a sentence, to go back and set himself right. Take, for example, the following sentence, and nobody can tell, when he reaches the word read, whether it is to be pronounced reed or red: "Those who read Sir Walter Scott's novel of 'Edward Waverley' when it first appeared did not know by whom it was written." In this example read is to be pronounced red, but nobody would know this till reaching a subsequent part of the sentence, and the reader is just as apt to mispronounce it read as to give it the correct pronunciation of red. In the sentence given as an example the reader learns soon after passing the word read how it should be pronounced, but in many cases one has to proceed quite a distance after reaching the word before the context shows how it should be pronounced.—Boston Transcript.

Explosives That Must Be Shocked.

Some explosives, such as dynamite, nitroglycerol, gun cotton, picric acid and the new German military powder, when simply heated, burn quietly if freely exposed, or, if confined, explode only at the spot where heat is applied, without the whole mass taking part in the explosion. According to H. Blitz, this is probably because they are bad conductors of their own explosive wave. If, however, the same substances are subjected to a violent shock by the explosion in their midst of initial charges of mercury fulminate, the shock apparently affects all the molecules of the explosive at once, and the whole mass of the latter explodes with a violence that is enormous and destructive.—Journal of Commerce.

DESPERATE, BUT FUTILE.

A Well Laid Scheme For Liberating Two Convicts on Their Way to Prison.

"I never understood," remarked a general passenger agent while discussing a recent train robbery, "how it was that a whole trainful of people would allow themselves to be held up by one or two bandits till some years ago, when I was making a trip over the Michigan Central road. Then the mystery was explained to me. I was on my way from Detroit to Chicago and had taken a seat in the smoking car to enjoy my cigar.

"At the time the smoking cars of the Michigan Central were equipped with comfortable revolving chairs. Shortly after taking my seat I noticed that there were two convicts aboard. They were in charge of two deputies and were being conveyed from Detroit to the state prison at Jackson. They sat there talking to their guards complacently as if they had been going to some more agreeable entertainment. All went well until Ypsilanti was reached. Half way between that place and Ann Arbor is a small road crossing named Geddes. As we approached it an ordinary looking passenger went through the car in a careless manner, rolling his eyes from side to side, casually inspecting the occupants of the car. When he reached the prisoners, he pulled a whisky flask from his pocket and in an offhand way remarked: 'Here, you fellows, have a drink. It will be a long time before you have another.'

"The convicts accepted the invitation, took a good long pull from the bottle and handed it back to their apparently chance acquaintance, who pocketed it and passed into the next car. Hardly had he disappeared when the convicts, with a motion quick as flash, pulled two revolvers from somewhere on the seats beside them and presented them at their guards. Before any one in the car had time to realize what was taking place those revolvers were going bang! bang! just as fast as the triggers could be pulled. The only men who appeared to have any presence of mind were the two deputies. They had seen the two revolvers coming, and by some dexterous move managed to strike up the convicts' arms so that the balls, instead of striking the victims for whom they were intended, passed through the roof of the car. While the rattle was at its height the bellrope was pulled in some mysterious manner, and the train came to a dead stop at the crossroads near Geddes station, where a fast team of horses hitched to a light wagon was standing. By the time the train stopped, though, the convicts had been overpowered by their guards, but not until 13 shots had been fired.

"The whole thing was evidently a concerted scheme to liberate the convicts. The man with the whisky flask was an ally, and his tender of the whisky was a signal that everything was ready and the time for action had come. The attempt at escape fortunately failed, but if you had seen that car while the shots were being fired you could readily have understood how easily a few armed robbers overpower a train. Every chair in the car was vacant, and the former occupants were crouching in corners or wherever they could hide themselves behind some object that might stop a bullet. When everything was quiet again and the convicts were in irons, no less than 15 men were counted coming from the dressing room of that smoking car."—Chicago Post.

Can Hire Everything.

Do you know that you can hire almost everything necessary for your house, your table and yourself when you want to give a reception? Heirlooms can be got by the evening, and quite reasonably, from curio dealers. Cut glass and old silver, splendid chairs, rugs, etc., just the very thing that will have a nice, old time look about them, can be had. Likewise, old bottles are fixed up and common wine is decanted into them and sold to people who are perfectly aware of the fraud. It is a wonder, one host confessed to me, the influence a bottle will have on people. Let the bottle have nice cobwebs on it and a good brand, and they will believe the stuff that comes out of the bottle is good too.

A certain lady who entertains a great deal explains that she never uses her "family silver" except on special occasions, and that she keeps it in the safe deposit meanwhile, but at least one other lady knows this is fiction, because the same other lady is in the habit of hiring the same "family silver" for her affairs, and has once or twice had to postpone them because No. 1 had the stuff engaged ahead for the same date.—New York Journal.

The Real David Crockett.

Mrs. Ibbie Gordon of Clarksville, Tex., who was born in 1805, was once introduced to David Crockett. Describing the incident, she says: "It was in the winter of 1834, not long after Crockett had been defeated for congress in Tennessee. We heard that Crockett had crossed Red river, and fearing that he might not come through Clarksville, but keep on the old Trammell trail, we intended to meet him. Jane Latimer, then a girl of 18, rode behind me, and Betsy Latimer followed on a pony. We overtook Crockett and his party at the house of Edward Deon, about four miles from Clarksville. It was early in the morning, and when Mrs. Deon saw us she said, 'Mrs. Clark, what in the name of God brings you here at this time of the day?' 'My horse brought me,' I answered, and then I told her I wanted some breakfast. We went into the house, and a friend, who had known Crockett in Tennessee, introduced us. Crockett was dressed like a gentleman and not as a backwoodsman. He did not wear a coonskin cap. It has always disgusted me to read these accounts of Crockett that characterize him as an ignorant backwoodsman. Neither in dress, conversation nor bearing could he have created the impression that he was ignorant or uncouth. He was a man of wide practical information and was dignified and entertaining. His language was about as good as any we hear nowadays."—Galveston News.

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A MOMENT OF SUPREME PERIL.

How Courage and Presence of Mind Saved Hundreds of Lives.

There are still persons living in London who can recall the magnificent Chinese museum collected by Mr. Nathan Dunn, a munificent merchant of Philadelphia and Hong-Kong, which was first located in Philadelphia, and then brought to London in the early years of the queen's reign. It was intended as a donation to the public, but was unfortunately burned. The building first erected—now the site of the Philadelphia Continental hotel—for this display of the treasures of the then sealed kingdom had an upper room which was about 35 feet high and very long and narrow. In the center part of this immense auditorium were collected one evening about 3,000 persons. At near 9 o'clock the manager of the building came to the leader of the meeting, white with affright, and told him that the floor had sunk nearly a foot, and that in a few minutes more the tenents of the joists might be out of their sockets. The floor would then fall through on to the Chinese museum, and the walls, 60 feet in height, would collapse and be precipitated, with the roof, upon the assembly.

This might have caused the death of those present—the foremost people in Philadelphia. The leader explained to the person whom the audience expected next to hear that by addressing the assembly from the end of the hall he could withdraw the company from the sunken part of the floor to that where the front walls strengthened the joists to bear the weight of the people. The reply to this was that his family was in the audience, and that he must get them out first.

"You shall not," said the leader; "a hint of danger—a rush—and we shall all be under the fallen walls and roof. Five minutes' delay may kill us altogether."

As a boy in the audience, I well remember my surprise at seeing the leader suddenly appear at the far front of the room and tell the people that they would next be addressed from where he stood—the organ loft. As the audience turned and moved to the front, the flooring rose six inches. The people were entertained, partly by an impromptu sentimental song in a voice without a quaver, in the very face of death, and as soon as practicable they were quietly dismissed. Not a single individual in that great assembly was aware that, by the presence of mind of one man, an awful catastrophe had been averted. Three thousand persons were saved from being buried under two side walls 60 feet high, pressed down by a heavy roof.

The imagination sickens at the thought of what would have been the consequence of a panic and sudden alarm by the failure of the courage of this man. All use of the room was of course suspended till it was effectually strengthened. So well was the secret kept that I only learned it long afterward. I am confident that, excepting the speaker referred to and the manager of the building, no one outside the immediate family of the man whose courage prevented this catastrophe has known the whole story till now. The terror of those minutes before the crowd was moved and the floor rose toward its level was such that he never, even in his own family, alluded to the scene, though he lived for 40 years afterward. I know not if the self possession of M. Dupuy, when the bomb exploded in the French assembly, was greater than this hitherto unknown act of heroism.—R. P. S. in London Spectator.

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